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U.S. BASIC REFORM PROGRAMME

ATTAINS "SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION"

ROOSEVELT DECLARES BUSINESS REQUIRES BREATHING SPELL

New York, To-day. President Roosevelt's statement that his basic programme of reform and recovery has reached "substantial completion" and that a breathing spell is wanted by business now, is considered here to be most significant in Wall Street circles, where the opinion is freely expressed that it would be a great relief to business.

Some, however, without the intention to believe the constructiveness of the statement, are inclined to believe that business needs more than a breathing spell and that the budget should balance, taxation be reduced and living costs kept down before a genuine recovery is possible.

On the other hand few Washington officials believe that President Roosevelt is prepared to surrender the extraordinary emergency powers with which he was invested by Congress, at least in the near future; while big business men are of the opinion that the President's declaration is aimed at introducing an atmosphere of confidence preparatory to the 1936 election.

BROWNS TWICE BEAT SENATORS IN U.S. BASEBALL

CUBS RETAIN THE LEADERSHIP

RAIN HOLDS UP THREE MAJOR CLASHES

New York, To-day. The St. Louis Browns caused a minor upset yesterday in the American Baseball League when they twice defeated the Washington Senators in their "double-header."

The Cubs retained their lead in the National League, although they just managed to nose out the Phillies, Galan securing his eighth four-bagger of the season. (Continued on Page 12)

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	0	9	4
Blanton pitched			
Pittsburgh	13	21	0
Hafey hit a homer.			

	R.	H.	E.
New York	7	9	2
Cincinnati	5	12	3
Ten innings were played			

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	2	11	2
Chicago	3	6	1
Galan hit a homer. Ten innings were played.			

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	4	12	1
St. Louis	6	10	2

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	11	18	2
Cliff hit a homer.			
Washington	8	14	0

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	2	10	2
Washington	1	8	1
Ten innings were played.			

CALIFORNIA CRUDE OIL PRICES

Independent Producers Stand Firm

New York, To-day. The early restoration of California crude oil prices, following last week's price cut, is now held to be unlikely, as independent producers have refused to agree to shut down their wells temporarily on the theory that it would cut off the supply to independent refiners. The immediate result is a 2-cent reduction in petrol prices on the Pacific coast. Reuter.

The stock market reacted buoyantly to the President's announcement with regard to the reform programme. Many Democrats expressed pleasure that a halt had been called to the period of sweeping reforms.

On the contrary, Republicans feel that the announcement does not go far enough. They declare that no recovery is possible without balancing the budget.

Colonel Frank Knox, the Chicago newspaper magnate, who has frequently canvassed as a Republican Presidential candidate, said: "It is just another promise — important if it can be relied on." — Reuter.

LOCAL BANK NOTE CIRCULATION

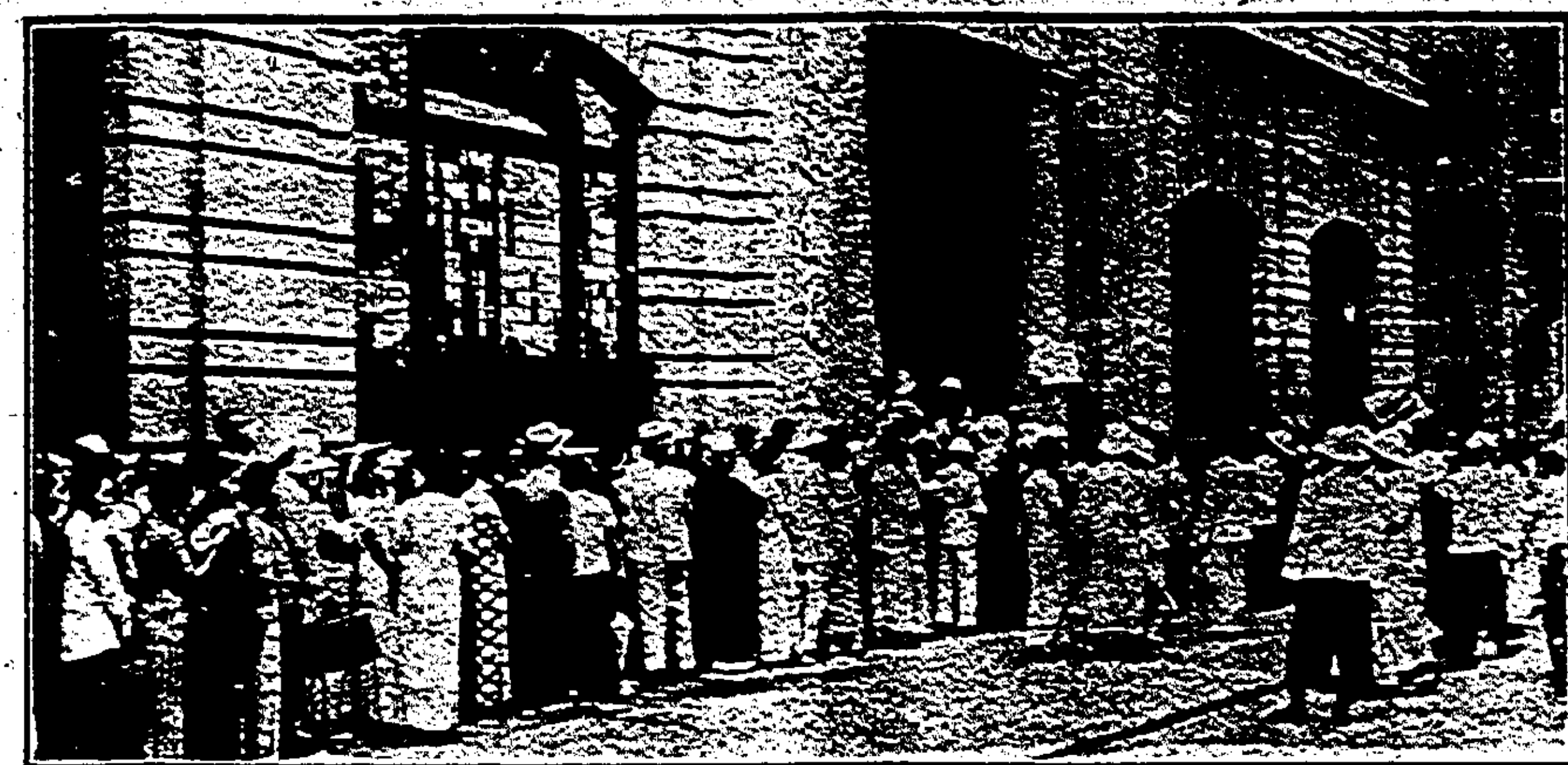
Returns For August Announced

The returns of the average amount of bank notes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hong Kong during the month ended August 31, 1935, as certified by the managers of the respective Banks, shows the Chartered Bank with an average amount of \$13,350,747 and specie \$8,300,000; the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corp. with \$113,526,111 and specie \$95,500,000; and the Mercantile Bank with \$1,681,048 and specie \$1,350,000. In addition to the above, the Chartered Bank have sterling securities deposited with the Crown Agents valued at \$765,000, the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank have securities valued at \$3,284,000 deposited with the Crown Agents and the Straits Settlements Government, while the Mercantile Bank have additional securities valued at \$190,000.

FLOODLIGHTING LONDON

Arrangements For Next Week

London, To-day. In connection with the conference of the Association of Public Lighting Engineers in London next week, arrangements have been made to floodlight Big Ben, the Horse Guards Parade, the National Gallery, the London County Hall and the Dome of St. Paul's Cathedral. British Wireless Service.



A section of the long queue of box-holders photographed outside the Bank of Canton yesterday morning. (A. Fong).

YORKSHIRE BEAT STRONG M.C.C. TEAM

ESSEX MAKE FINE RECOVERY

HAMMOND HITS CENTURY AT FOLKESTONE

London, To-day.

Yorkshire fully lived up to their reputation as County Cricket Champions by defeating a strong M.C.C. eleven at Scarborough by one wicket, Smiles dismissing the Marylebone bowlers for 179 in their first knock, while Hutton followed up his knock of 132 against Middlesex by scoring 92.

Bowes was also in good form with the ball, capturing 5 second innings wickets for 64 runs.

Baxter, the young Lancashire League player from New Zealand, was in splendid fettle for the M.C.C., taking 7 of Yorkshire's first innings wickets for 82 runs, and R. E. S. "Bob" Wyatt, the England Test skipper, had 7 for 87 in the fourth innings.

Wyatt's best bowling tests this season have been:—

5 for 30 v Derby
6 for 47 v Yorkshire
7 for 87 v Yorkshire

Despite a bad start, Essex secured a full quota of points at the expense of Kent at Ilford, Jack O'Connor securing his first century of the season. His previous best was 81 against Hampshire.

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Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:

Essex beat Kent by 137 runs at Ilford.
Essex 97 (Wyatt 6 for 49)
284 (O'Connor 139)
Kent: 195 and 159.

Yorkshire beat the M.C.C. by 1 wicket at Scarborough.

M.C.C.: 179 (Smiles 5 for 68)
226 (Bowes 5 for 64).
Yorkshire: 239 (Hutton 92, Baxter 7 for 52).
168 for 9 (R. E. S. Wyatt 7 for 87).

The Gentlemen drew with the Players at Folkestone.

Players: 270 for 6 dec. (Hammond 160) and 104 for 4 dec.
Gentlemen: 171 and 99 for 5.

The following are the final standings of the leaders in the County Cricket Championship:

Yorkshire 71.33 per cent.
Derbyshire 63.33 per cent.
Middlesex 56.11 per cent.
Lancashire 54.04 per cent.

TREASURY BILLS ISSUE

London, To-day. The total amount applied for in tenders for \$45,000,000 in Treasury bills was \$75,540,000. The average rate per cent. for bills at three months was 12/4.34, as against 12/1.78 a week ago. British Wireless Service.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR MONTH OF JUNE

Favourable Balance Of \$13,409,930 For Colony

The financial statement for the Colony for the month of June shows a favourable balance of \$13,409,930.97, the revenue for the month (\$2,435,627.30) added to the excess of assets over liabilities on May 31 (\$12,969,472.02) giving a total of \$15,425,099.99, while the expenditure from June 1 to June 30 amounted to \$2,015,168.95.

KING'S CUP AIR RACE

ELIMINATING STAGE

DUKE OF KENT'S PILOT TAKES SECOND PLACE

London, To-day.

The eliminating stage of the King's Cup air race resulted in an exciting finish at Hatfield aerodrome, F. G. Miles, flying a Miles Hawk Mk. crossing the line one minute ahead of Captain Percival, piloting H.R.H. the Duke of Kent's machine.

Captain Percival led the whole way, but in a moment of forgetfulness missed the aerodrome, and when he returned Miles was just about to land.

Miles covered the course of 953 miles, including time stoppages, in 5 hours 40 minutes. Reuter.

"COMET" WITHDRAWN

Last minute withdrawals included the "Comet," in which Mr. T. Campbell Black made his recent fast time to Cairo and in which he plans shortly to make a return flight to Canada, and the Nethermer De Havilland D.H.90.

The fastest machine left was the Percival New Gull, entered by H. R. H. the Duke of Kent, and flown by Captain E. W. Percival, which was handicapped as for 196 miles an hour.

The first machine home yesterday was the Hawk, piloted by Mr. F. G. Miles, who completed the course at an average speed of 163.76 miles an hour. The Percival New Gull was second, at 162 miles an hour.

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NEW HONOUR FOR SIR JOSIAH STAMP

London, To-day. The importance of economic science as the key to the many baffling problems created by recent advances in other branches of science receives recognition in the decision of the Council of the British Association to nominate as their 1936 President Sir Josiah Stamp, the eminent statistician, Chairman of the London Midland and Scottish Railway, and former Treasury official. British Wireless Service.

CHINA'S EFFORTS TO SUPPRESS DRUG SCOURGE UPHOLD

Opium Committee's Report Adopted

HEAVIER SENTENCES FOR TRAFFICKERS

Geneva, To-day.

The Council has adopted the report of the Opium Committee, expressing gratification at the progress made by the complete suppression of poppy-growing in Fokien, the closing of many opium dens in Szechuan, the decreased production in Tientsin, and the curing of over 81,000 drug addicts and opium smokers in a single year, thanks to the opening by the Chinese Government of special hospitals and the developments of the extensive educational movement.

The report added that the encouraging results must not lead to underestimation of the magnitude of the task and the very serious difficulties ahead. It paid a tribute to the efforts of the Chinese Government and hoped that it would finally rid China of the drug evil.

It drew attention to the necessity of tightening up the regulations with regard to foreign concessions, and especially as to heavier sentences for traffickers. Reuter.

NEW GEOLOGICAL MUSEUM

LONDONERS SHOW MORE INTEREST

London, To-day.

The removal of the Geological Museum from its former cramped quarters in Jernyn Street, off Piccadilly, to a spacious new building in South Kensington, where the League's International Monetary and Economic Conference was held in the summer of 1933, has already been justified by the increased interest shown by the public in the exhibits, which are now attractively set out and provide a fascinating introduction to what has hitherto been one of the less popular of the sciences.

Since the opening of the new premises two months ago there have been daily attendances of a thousand, as compared with the former annual total of visitors of under 21,000. British Wireless Service.

WEATHER REPORT

Light easterly or variable winds, fair, local thunder showers, was the forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.

JEZE SUPERSEDED BY HAWARIATE

THURSDAY'S INCIDENT CLEARED UP

ITALY PREPARED TO ACCEPT PARIS PROPOSALS AS BASIS

Geneva, To-day.

Agreement has been reached regarding the composition of the committee of five to deal with the Abyssinian dispute. As the result of pressure from Britain and France the Italians withdrew their insistence to sit on the committee, which will now consist of the representatives of Britain, France, Poland, Spain and Turkey.

The Abyssinian Government has agreed to appoint Mr. Teclé Hawariate its chief delegate to the League, with Professor Jeze as his assistant. It is understood that this disposes of Thursday's incident and will afford satisfaction to Italy, who took exception to the nationality of Professor Jeze and the strictures he passed upon Italy.

A later message states that the Abyssinian dispute has been finally relegated to the committee of five, which was appointed after Baron Aloisi had departed when the Abyssinians were admitted. Baron Aloisi returned immediately afterwards, and the Council started the non-Abyssinian agenda.

The committee of five meets when the Council adjourns and will act as a go-between between the two parties, presumably on the basis of the Paris proposals. Senor de Madariaga (Spain) is expected to be chairman, and the other personnel consists of Mr. Anthony Eden (Great Britain), M. Laval (France), Colonel Beck (Poland) and Tewfik Aras (Turkey).

SAVINGS BANK REPORTS RUN NOW ABATED

Very Few People Seen In Building

NO FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS IN BANK OF CANTON

The heavy run during the past few days on the National and Commercial Savings Bank has considerably abated, and this morning there were very few people seen in the building. An official of the Bank stated: "As reported in yesterday's editions of the China Mail, the Bank officials are quite confident that they can weather the storm."

Interviewed this morning shortly before 11 a.m., the manager of the Bank of Canton said that there were no new developments. The Bank had been placed in the hands of a Special Manager, through the Official Receiver, and he was making an examination of the Bank's affairs. No new developments were likely before next week.

The Bank is said to be anxious to serve the deposit box holders, whose numbers have dwindled appreciably since yesterday. There were only about 50 persons queuing up outside the building this morning.

COMMITTEE OF FIVE MEET

London, To-day. The committee of five appointed to study the Italo-Ethiopian dispute held its first meeting in private after the Council adjourned yesterday. Senor de Madariaga (Spain) was elected President and the committee will begin work this morning.

After a day of strenuous negotiations at Geneva the League Council met again last evening. A private session of the Council during the afternoon, at which the Italian member, Baron Aloisi, was present, decided on the constitution of the special sub-committee of five to consider the Italo-Ethiopian dispute.

Many objections offered by the Italian delegation to the proposed committee and its suggested personnel were at last overcome by a compromise arrangement, according to which the Italian delegate agreed to refrain from voting on the question.

When the public session began Baron Aloisi was in his place, but he walked out when, in accordance with League procedure, the Abyssinian representative, who is not a member of the Council, was called to the table. (Continued on Page 12)

LOCAL DOLLAR IMPROVES

Silver Prices Rise

The local dollar has advanced 1/2 opening on demand his morning at 1/11 3/4.

"Spot" Silver prices improved 1/2 to 23/3/16, and "forward" 3/16 to 23/8/16.

The London on New York cross-rate was quoted at 2-US\$44.38%, as compared with 5-US\$44.34%, while the New York on London cross-rate was quoted at 6-US\$44.33%, as compared with 5-US\$44.30%.

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It is hereby notified that from the first day of September 1935 the charges for telegrams will be collected at the rate of Dollar 0.68 to equal Gold Franc 1.00.

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It is hereby notified that from the first of September 1935 Night Letter Telegrams (NLT) expressed in Plain language may be exchanged between Hong Kong and Great Britain at one-third of the Full Ordinary Rate with a minimum charge for 25 words.

These telegrams will be delivered on the morning after the date of despatch.

Further information may be obtained at the Radio Office.

INWARD MAILS

FROM EUROPE

Sept.

FROM U.S.A.

Sept.

Pres. Johnson 13
Emp. of Asia 14

FROM JAPAN

Sept.

Gonos Maru 7
Naruto Maru 9
Anyo Maru 10
Pres. Johnson 13
Kashima Maru 13
Lyons Maru 14
Malacca Maru 14
Emp. of Asia 14

FROM SHANGHAI

Sept.

Conte Rosso 9
D'Artagnan 10
Ducellon 10
Pres. Johnson 13
Soudan 13
Kashima Maru 13
Emp. of Asia 14

FROM MANILA

Sept.

Taiiping 10

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Sept.

Achilles 9
Toyooka Maru 11
Antenor 13
Kurusang 14
Suwa Maru 15

FROM AUSTRALIA

Sept.

Taiiping 10

OUTWARD MAILS

FOR EUROPE

Sept.

Naldera (Amsterdam Air Mail) 7
Athos II (via Siberia) 7
Conte Rosso (Amsterdam Air Mail Service) 9
Glosses Reg. 1.30 p.m. Ord. 2 p.m. D'Artagnan (via Marseilles) 10

FOR JAPAN

Sept.

Athos II 7
Heiyo Maru 9

FOR STRAITS

Sept.

Conte Rosso 9
Suwa Maru 15

FOR AUSTRALIA

Sept.

Sydney Maru 7

FOR U.S.A.

Sept.

Heiyo Maru 9

FOR SHANGHAI

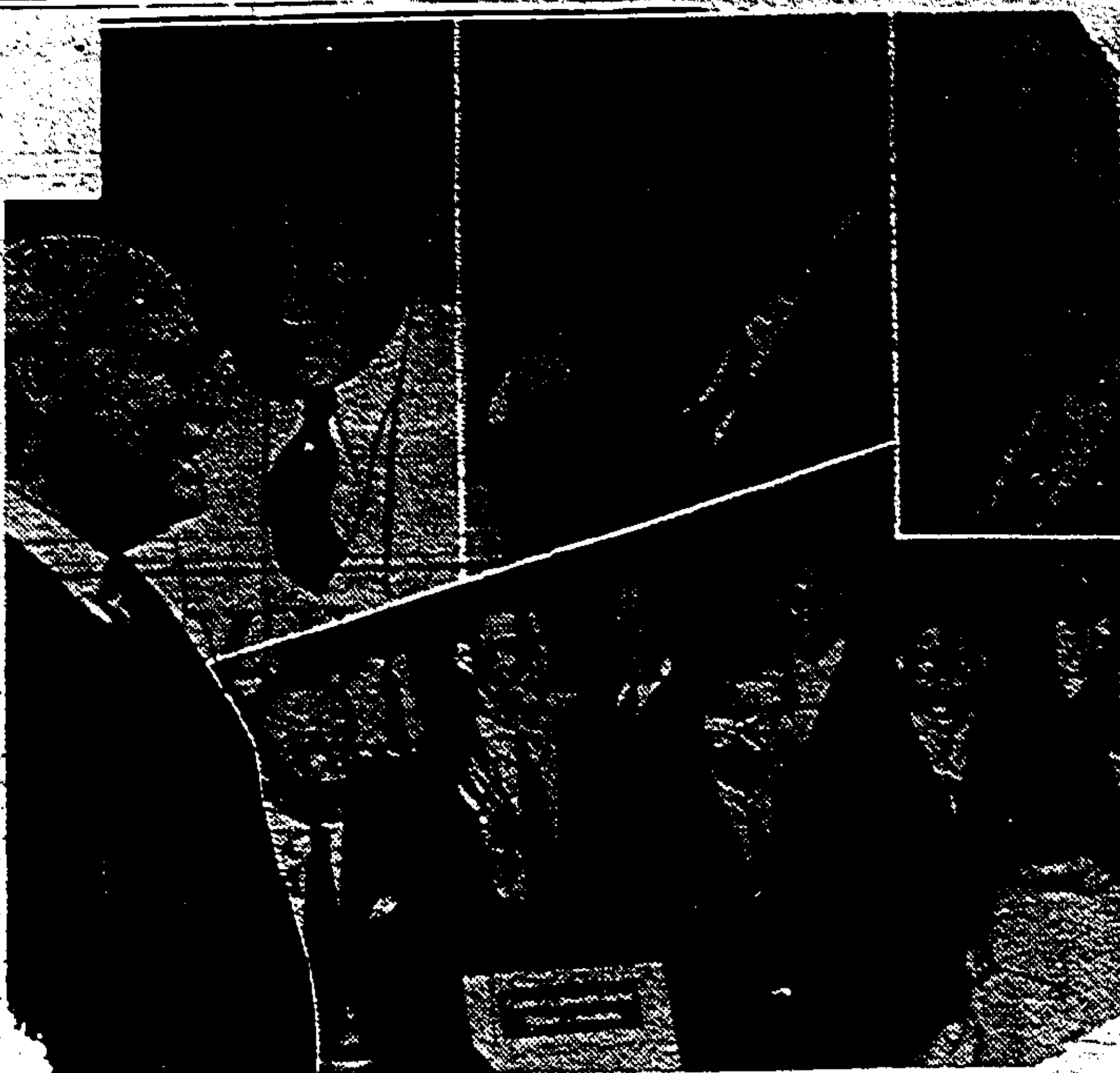
Sept.

Athos II 7
Sochow 7

FOR MANILA

Sept.

Pres. Johnson 13
Emp. of Asia 14



Ambassador Hans Luther (left) has the most responsible diplomatic assignment in Washington. He must uphold Reich dignity against American interference with its internal affairs, as voiced by (l to r.) Representative Martin Dickstein, Mayor F. H. La Guardia of New York, and the American Federation of Labour President, Mr. William Green, and the youths (shown in the court hearing in New York) who tore down the Nazi flag from the German liner Bremen.



It is all done with mirrors, but Anne Sibley, daughter of a Chicago lawyer, who disappeared from Ohio college and was found in a Coney Island side-show, loses her head several times daily. She likes her new vocation and says she will not return to home or college.



More than \$1,000,000 in forged bills was the capacity of this counterfeiters' plant at High Falls, N. Y., until Government men found Ugo Albani, Albert Ravone, and Carmine Coppola (l to r.), working the plant. Some of the completed bills are seen below.



The deep water does not stop motor traffic on the highway between Kingston, Pa., and Wilkes Barre, as the waters of the Susquehanna overflow.



Declaring he is through with politics, General Plutarco Elias Calles (centre), former President of Mexico and virtual exile, leaves Los Angeles for the Hawaiian Islands. He is accompanied by his daughter, and son-in-law Fernando Torreblanca, for 13 years Undersecretary for Foreign Affairs of Mexico.



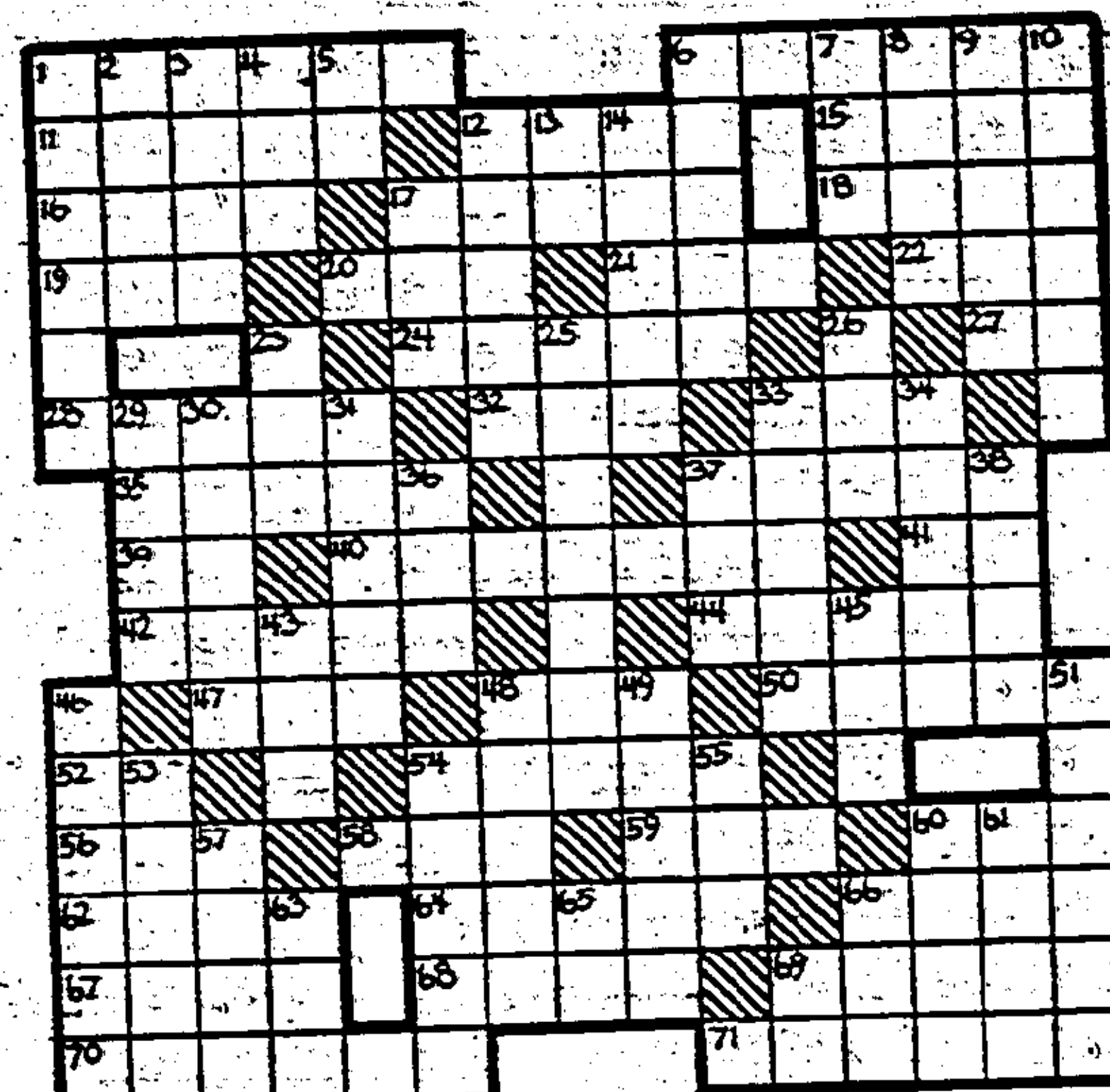
Peter Salm, aged 19 (above), becomes probably the world's richest child through the will of his grandfather, the late Col. H. H. Rogers, who left half of his \$80,000,000 estate to the boy.

Friends believe that Baroness Maud Thyssen (above), beautiful estranged wife of an Austrian millionaire and relative of Germany's richest family, would have been, Prince Alexis Mdivani's third bride. She was critically injured when Mdivani was killed in a car crash in Spain last month.

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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

- 1-Dull
- 6-Abuse
- 11-City in France
- 12-Current
- 15-Surface
- 16-Perse
- 17-Device for lifting
- 18-Liquid measure
- 19-Relate (abbr.)
- 20-Japanese coin
- 21-One hundred two
- 22-Ocean
- 24-Warehouse
- 27-A weight measure (abbr.)
- 28-Mold
- 32-Attempt
- 33-Foot-like organ
- 35-Rub out
- 37-Suggestions
- 38-While
- 40-A color
- 41-A land measure (abbr.)
- 42-Wanderer
- 44-Singing voice
- 47-Prefix. Not
- 48-Pronoun
- 50-Drugged
- 52-Interjection
- 54-Desired
- 56-By

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 58-Small rug
- 59-Lair
- 60-Coal container
- 62-A name of Greece
- 64-Wild
- 66-Smaller
- 67-Traversed in a vehicle
- 68-Paradise
- 69-English pastoral poet
- 70-Horses
- 71-More in want

VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 17-Gilded
- 22-Mineral spring
- 25-Off
- 26-Writing implement
- 28-Listen
- 30-Malicious burning of a building
- 31-Prussian city
- 32-Largely for
- 34-Leather strap
- 36-Organ of hearing
- 37-Very warm
- 38-Inflamed place on the skin
- 43-Volume (abbr.)
- 45-In no manner
- 46-Antic
- 48-Despised
- 49-Angle in a fort
- 51-More compact
- 53-Spartan bondman
- 54-Eating places
- 55-Eastern State of United States (abbr.)
- 57-Traverse on horseback
- 63-A beverage
- 64-Island (poet.)
- 65-Look (technical)
- 66-Musical note
- 68-Lion (Lat.)
- 69-Italian river

VERTICAL

- 1-Towers
- 2-The canal
- 3-Mountains between Europe and Asia
- 4-Fasten
- 5-Exists
- 6-Honor
- 7-Lick up
- 8-Part of the eye
- 9-Small Spanish horn
- 10-Floating on water (technical)
- 12-Dogma
- 13-Four
- 14-Lure

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in Monday's issue.

HONG KONG HEIGHTS

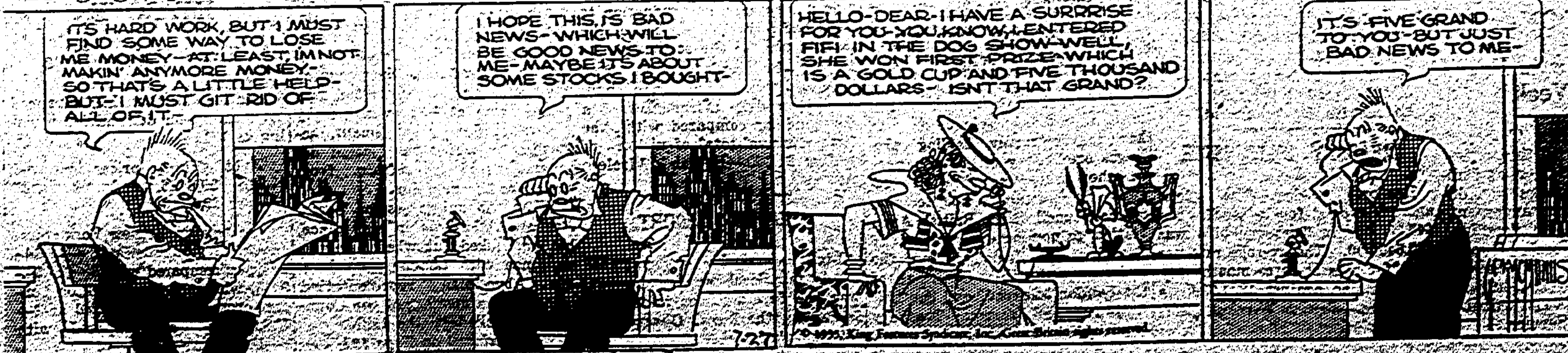
For the information of visitors the following list of some of the highest points on the Island and Mainland is published:

ISLAND	
Victoria Peak	1,823
Signal Station	1,774
Mt. Parker	1,734
Mountain Lodge	1,725
The Eyrie	1,725
Peak Hotel	1,305
Talkoo Sanatorium	1,000
Mt. Davis	877
Bowen Road (filterbeds)	297
MAINLAND	
Taimoshan	2,124
Kowloon Peak	1,971

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

BARGE	DRONE
CANE	AAR
SARA	PLT
ART	AGREE
IN	ALLEGRO
NO	TREE
SIPS	M
ODORS	SILAS
ONE	OTT
BREST	OTTER
STOP	EYES
AT	STEAMED
PA	ROT
EAGER	DAM
DEAR	LEE
DONS	SPARS
ROOTS	

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maintaining trumps so as to win a trick with the heart Jack.
South could have ruffed this third round of clubs, but he made the superior safety play of discarding his losing diamond instead. Now West could return a diamond or a heart. In either event the solution of the end problem was for South to play a small heart and ruff with the nine of trumps. East would be compelled to overruff and South would be in a position to extract the balance of East's trumps and cash the heart Jack.

BRIDGE NOTES**FOREIGN SOIL**
By Ely Culbertson

Like the beggar, we have, always with us, the better than average player who exhibits a strong game in his own ballwick but goes to pieces on neutral ground. At home he is a leader, a sound conservative partner. Among his friends, he is an adviser, whose words of wisdom mean something. But when he carries the war to foreign soil, the landmarks are missing, the enemy speaks a different language and confusion becomes his undoing.

One of these—a gentleman of refinement—came to me after one of the major contests and said, "I never played such bad bridge. I heard myself make bids that had neither rhyme nor reason to them and caused my partner grave apprehension in regard to my sanity. What happened?"

Just a case of strange surroundings: battling a higher grade of defense. The declarer in the following deal was forced to fight every card of the way in an impossible contract to limit his loss to five hundred points.

East Dealer
Both sides vulnerable
North:—
S—9 4 3
H—A K
D—K 4 3 2
C—J 10 5 3

West:—
S—
H—10 8 7 6 4 2
D—J 5
C—A Q 8 7 2

East:—
S—Q J 8 7 2
H—Q
D—A 10 9 7
C—9 6 4

South:—
S—A K 10 6 5
H—J 9 6 3
D—Q 8 6
C—K

The bidding:
East South West North
Pass 1S (1) 2H (2) 2NT
Pass 3S (3) Pass 4S
Dbl. Pass Pass Pass
1—A questionable bid.
2—Hazardous, but West can scarcely keep silent with such a promising pattern.
3—South is between Scylla and Charybdis. He can scarcely pass the bid of two notrump and he has a difficult guess which way to jump.

West opened the six of hearts. Declarer saw that since the double of four spades portended an extremely bad trump break, making contract was probably impossible. He tried to limit his loss.

As he probably could not win a second heart trick and might be held to one diamond trick, he must win most of his tricks in trumps and must ruff clubs.

Dummy led the spade three. It would be folly to lead the nine of spades, since East would have to play an honour in any event to shut out the ten. It was essential to have the spade against eventual over-ruffs of dummy in hearts.

On the trump East played the Jack and South won with the Ace. South then laid down the King of clubs and West won. West led a heart, and East ruffed. East led a club.

It might seem plausible to let this club ride so as to establish one club trick in dummy. From South's point of view the King of diamonds meant a sure entry as West was expected to have the Ace for his heart bid. But South ruffed the club lead, taking every opportunity to make his small trumps.

South now led a small diamond and was shocked to find dummy's King slaughtered by East's Ace. East returned another club. The remaining cards presented a nice double dummy problem—South to play and lose as few tricks as possible. The crux of this problem was how could South cash his Jack of hearts? Two tricks he surely must lose as he had two red losers. His efforts must be directed to getting out East's red cards. (Cont. at Foot of Preceding Col.)



Alice Faye and James Dunn are two of the 16 leading characters in Fox Film's "George White's 1935 Scandals," which will shortly be screened at the King's Theatre.

Amusements**Cinema Notes****"OUR LITTLE GIRL"—KING'S THEATRE**

Shirley Temple, of course! A well-known feminine star, of more than tender years, gave recently a number of reasons why the brilliant child star is the world's happiest actress.

"Just think, she need not know nor care what critics say," the elder player said. "Making a motion picture is just play for her, and she romps through it all with delight."

"Also, it will be long before anyone dares utter a breath of scandal about Shirley. She is spared ordinary worries. Clothes and social obligations do not concern her, for her interests are centred on dolls, stuffed dogs and pets."

"Then, too, Shirley did not have to seek a career. The picture makers sought her out, once her great natural ability was proved. "In Shirley's case were no weary rounds of 'casting offices, studios, agencies and such. Someone saw her give an imitation and also observed how she heard a song over the radio and repeated it. The Temples were asked to bring her to a studio making two-reel comedies. The rest is movie history."

"Our Little Girl," Shirley's new Fox Film picture represents the best story selected by Producer Edward Butcher from several hundred novels and shorts stories. The child star sings "Our Little Girl."

"THE NIGHT IS YOUNG"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

Lilting romance of Vienna, borne on the wings of music, lends charm to "The Night Is Young," the glamorous new love story with songs by Metro-Goldwyn Mayer.

The creation of Oscar Hammer-

stein II, and Sigmund Romberg, who gave the world "New Moon," "Desert Song" and other outstanding hits, it is a haunting story of the Imperial Ballet, in which spectacle, heart interest and gorgeous song hits are blended into a dramatic theme.

The brilliant cast includes Ramon Navarro, Evelyn Laye, Edward Everett Horton, Una Merkel, Charles Stephenson, Donald Cook, Henry Stephenson, Rosalind Russell, Herman Bing, Charles Jedels and Albert Conti.

"Song hits include "The Night Is Young," "My Old Mare," "There's A Riot in Havana," "Wiener Schnitzel" and "When I Grow Too Old to Dream."

"NO MORE LADIES"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

One of the most popular teams in pictures, Joan Crawford and Robert Montgomery, are together again in "No More Ladies," and this proves to be even better than "Letty Lynton," the picture in which they first appeared some years ago.

In his film Montgomery breaks away from the semi-serious kind of roles that he has been featured in lately, and returns to the smiling, debonaire part that first brought him fame. Joan is excellent in the part of the girl who will not believe that the man she loves, previously noted for his many amorous adventures, will give up his other lady friends for her sake.

"THE MYSTERY OF EDWIN DROOD"—MAJESTIC THEATRE

Charles Dickens' great thriller compares favourably with the work of the modern writers of horror stories.

Claude Rains, the famous "Invisible Man," is seen as Edwin Drood, who spread fear throughout London. Douglas Montgomery is the man who had to flee from the woman he loved, Heather Angel, taking the latter part.

St. Teresa's Church Services

The following are the forthcoming services etc. at St. Teresa's Church, Kowloon Tong:
To-day Feast of St. Regina, V. and M.

3 p.m. Meeting of St. Teresa's Chinese Young Men for visit to the sick.

To-morrow, Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost. The Nativity of Our Lady.

7.30 a.m. First Mass with Sermon in English. General Communion for members of St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S.

9.30 a.m. Second Mass with Sermon in English, followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

11.00 a.m. Sunday School for Mexican boys, Maryknoll Convent.
4.00 p.m. Meeting of St. Teresa's Chinese Young Men for proceeding to Tsung Wan for the propagation of Faith and Free Instruction in English.

8.00 p.m. Meeting of St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S. Study Circle (Chinese Section) on the Society's premises. Mr. Francis Ignatius Tang will read a paper on the "Marks of the True Church" Founded by Christ.

Monday, September 9. Feast of St. Peter Claver, C., and of St. Gorgonius, M. 7.30 Mass for the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

Tuesday, September 10. Feast of St. Nicholas of Tolentino, C. 5 p.m. Little Flower Choir Practice.

8.00 p.m. St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S. Choir Practice.

Wednesday, September 11. Feast of St. John Gabriel Perboyre and of St. Protas and Hyacinth, Mm.

7.30 a.m. Mass for the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

Thursday, September 12. Feast of the Most Holy Name of Our Lady.

Friday, September 13. Feast of Legory, M.

Saturday, September 14. Feast of Exaltation of the Holy Cross. 8.00 p.m. General Meeting of the members of St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S. on the Society's premises.

Week-days: Masses at 8.30 and 7.30 a.m.

Confessions are heard daily before and after Masses in Chinese, English, Italian, French, Spanish and Portuguese.

RADIO**TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME**

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (345 K.C.S.)

DANCE MUSIC FROM HONG KONG HOTEL
Dance Music

12.30-2.15 p.m.—European Recorded Programme

1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report

1.30 p.m.—Renter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press News etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down

4.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme

7 p.m.—12 midnight—European Programme

7.30 p.m.—Orchestral Music, Hungarian Rhapsody, No. 1 (Liszt)

Cossack Dance (from "Mussorgsky") (Tchaikovsky)

Perpetuum Mobile (J. Strauss)

Le Prophete—Coronation March (Meyerbeer)

Dance Macabre (Dance of Death) (Saint-Saens, Op. 40)

7.30-7.45 p.m.—Four Songs by Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone)

1. The Lute Player (Allisen)

2. The Floral Dance (Moss)

3. Our River Thames (Hemmesy)

4. Young Bitter's Heritage (Hemmesy)

7.45-8 p.m.—Selections from Musical Comedy

Glamorous Night

One hour with you

8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report

8.03-9 p.m.—A B.B.C. Recorded Programme

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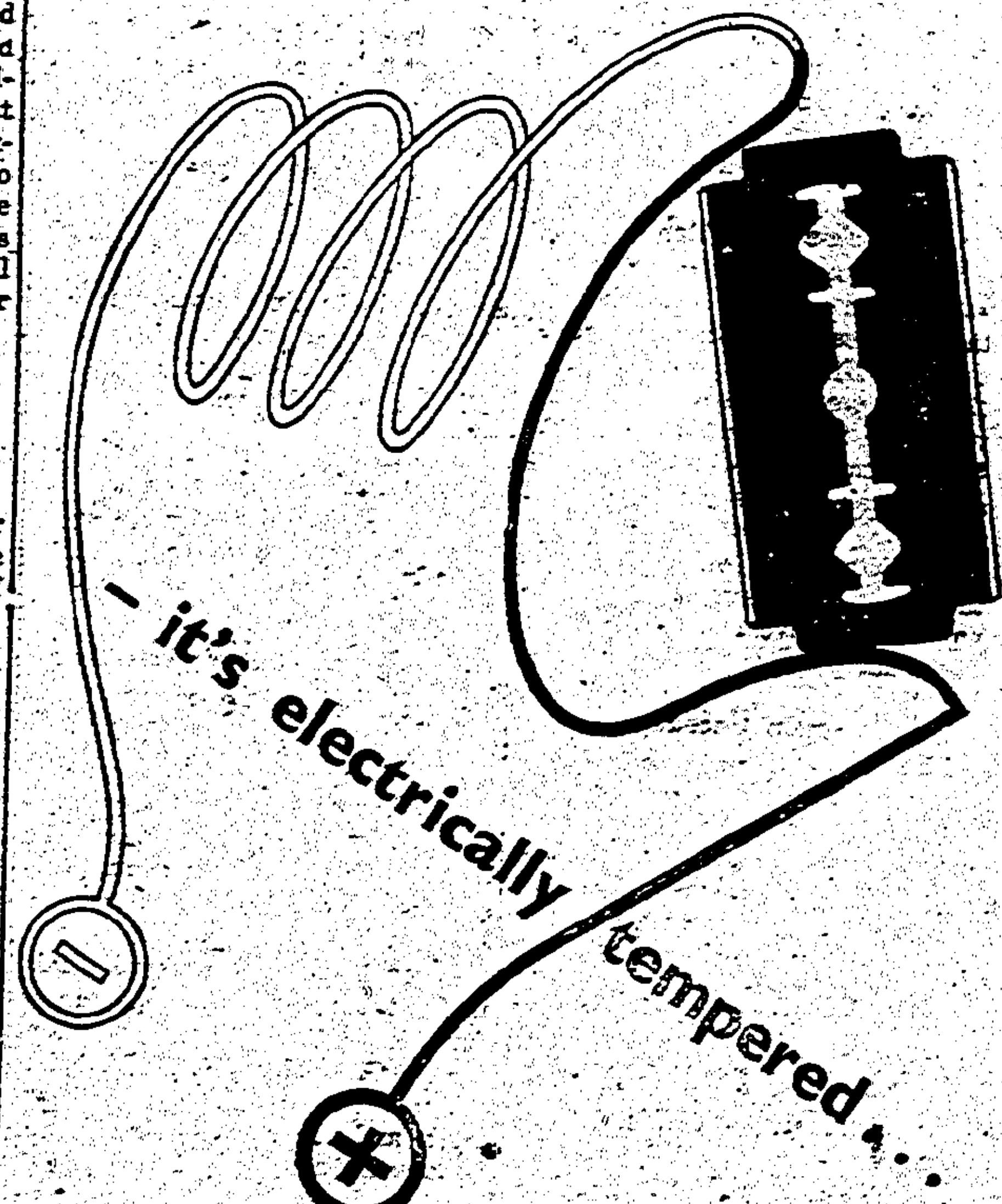
The Orchestra under the direction of Leslie Woodgate.

The Wireless Military Band conducted by E. Walden O'Donnell

9.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Davenport New Bulletin, (Copyright by Renter)

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Sporting Page

LIGA DE PORTUGUESA DE HONG KONG TO MAKE SOCCER DEBUT PLAYERS JOIN FROM RECREIO AND ST. JOSEPH'S



A. K. Omar, one of the most promising junior right-wingers in the Colony, will be making his second season's appearance for the Radio Sports Club in the Football League.

RADIO ATTACK WILL BE STRENGTHENED TWO YOUNG INDIANS SIGNED ON HASSAN TO STAGE COMEBACK

(By "Rover")

THE Radio Sports Club, who are entering the Second Division of the Football League, have most of last season's talent at their disposal with a promising sprinkling of newcomers.

Hamet, who played with outstanding success for the Young Indians last year in the centre-forward position, and Arculli, their outside-right, have signed on, thus considerably strengthening the attack.

Gurbachan Singh, the triple hockey interporter who played last season, is transferring his affections to St. Joseph's and will be missed from the inside-left position. A fast worker, his only fault was his inability to head the ball.

M. de Souza, who has played in the intermediate line for the past two seasons, is once again taking the field, while C. Rocha, the new captain, will be between the sticks instead of U. B. Souza, who has joined the St. Joseph's Football Club.

H. R. Bur and L. B. Kitchell, two of the Radio's finest defenders for the past three seasons, are again available, although there is a possibility of a reshuffle in positions.

W. Ayock has played on and off for the Radio, and, when on form, is a good defence player, possessing a powerful kick.

Promising Youngster

A. M. Omar is one of the most promising right-wingers among the junior players in the Colony and should in time develop into a first class performer. Very fast off the mark, he seldom places the ball out of alignment from the wing.

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H.K.F.C. TO CLASH WITH EAST LANCES

Two Friendly Games This Afternoon

The Hong Kong Football Club are commencing their soccer season with two games against the East Lancashire Regiment this afternoon on the Club ground, commencing at 4 p.m.

Several newcomers are making their first appearances for the Club, among whom are, G. T. K. Gilchrist, formerly of Kowloon, L. E. Lammer, and Luis Greenberg, of the Shanghai Interport.

In the junior eleven, Sykes, Bephan, Wallace Caplan and Scott are newcomers.

The following are the teams: 1st XI v. East Lanes (5.15 p.m.)

Edder; Gamble and Strange; Gilchrist, Forrow and Skinner; L. E. Lammer, Hill, Elliot, Bickford and Greenberg.

2nd XI v. East Lanes (4 p.m.)

Stephens; Bailton and Sykes; Haynes, Bephan and Millington; Fisher, Wallace, Williams, Caplan and Scott.

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Oxford Marksmen Win, But Decline Prizes

Ottawa, August 13. — Three members of the Oxford University rifle shooting team, which is making a tour of Canada, scored possibilities of 34 in a tyro match which was the opening event of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association meeting here.

The successful competitors were A. A. Widdington, C. L. Hall and



J. M. Tavares, one of the Radio's most successful forwards of the last soccer season, will again be seen on the left-wing for them.

PHILIPPINES TO INAUGURATE TENNIS SERIES?

WANT TRIANGULAR INTERPORT

SHANGHAI L.T.A. WILL REFUSE THIS TIME

Shanghai, August 30. — A proposal to invite Shanghai and Hong Kong to participate in an interport tennis tournament in Manila next January or February will be taken up by the Philippine Islands Lawn Tennis Association shortly, reports local Chinese sources.

It is most unlikely that a series will be held at Manila because neither Hong Kong nor Shanghai play tennis during the months picked for the contests. Manila's invitations, however, may be the forerunner of a special series next summer, when Shanghai is due to make a trip to Hong Kong.

The visit this year is out of the question as Hong Kong is coming here towards the end of the month, and is not sending its best team. Because of the extra expense which will be necessary to pay for the trip to Manila and because Shanghai tennis stars will

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G. Sousa, probably the best "catch" the Liga de Portuguesa de Hong Kong have made, was the Recreio's greatest goal-scorer until A. V. Gosano and Bertie Gosano rejoined that Club.

HONG KONG CHINESE SWIMMING

Trials In Preparation For National Games

CHAN HO-FOOK'S FAST 50 METRES

The trials to select the swimmers to represent the Hong Kong Chinese Athletic Federation at Chinese National Meet at Shanghai on October 10 were held at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. bath last night.

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The following were the results and times:

50 Metres Free Style (Men):—

First Heat:—

1. Pui Chi-kwok (31 2/5 secs.)

2. Stanley Lee (31 4/5 secs.)

3. Wong Chee-hung (35 secs.)

Second Heat:—

1. Chan Ho-fook (30 1/5 secs.)

2. Norman Lee (31 1/5 secs.)

3. Pun Yan-leung (31 4/5 secs.)

50 Metres Free Style (Ladies):—

1. Yeung Sau-chan (41 4/5 secs.)

2. Chan Fung-hing (42 3/5 secs.)

3. Sha Wai-ying (45 secs.)

4. Chea Yuk-kwan (47 secs.)

200 Metres Breast Stroke (Men):—

First Heat:—

1. Fung Chung-ye (3 min. 11 secs.)

2. Chung Yu-tin (3 min. 21 1/5 secs.)

3. Wong Shui-hung (3 min. 22 4/5 secs.)

Second Heat:—

1. Chan Chung-man (3 min. 14 4/5 secs.)

2. Cheung Ka-fa (3 min. 17 3/5 secs.)

100 Metres Back Stroke (Ladies):—

1. Yeung Sau-chan (1 min. 44 9/10 secs.)

2. Chan Fung-hing (1 min. 47 secs.)

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Shanghai, Aug. 30

An agenda divided between Interport probabilities, and Cercle Sportif Francs entrants, received the consideration of the Shanghai Amateur Swimming Association at a meeting held last evening at the Rowing Club.

Regarding the Interport team to be sent down to Hong Kong, while team arrangements have not as yet been made, it is understood that the selected Shanghai representatives will leave on the President Cleveland on September 14 to arrive in Hong Kong, with a few days in hand, for the first night of the Interport gala on September 19.

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SWIMMING MEETING IN PEIPING DISAPPOINTS

Peiping, September 1. — The second Peiping Municipal aquatic meeting to-day for the selection of athletes to participate in the forthcoming National Athletic Meetings in Shanghai on October 10 is a total disappointment.

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SOUSAE NEW CLUB'S BEST CAPTURE

SANTOS BROTHERS JOIN NEWCOMERS

BRIGHT THIRD DIVISION CHANCES

(By "Rover")

THE Liga de Portuguesa, de Hong Kong, the new Third Division soccer team, will make a bold bid for honours this coming season, and, although nothing brilliant in the manner of talent is at their disposal, they should be able to field a fairly good eleven.

Many of the players who will ultimately secure places in the team are either old St. Joseph's players or members of the Recreio team which won the Senior League in 1927.

A. Quinn, who kept goal for the Saints during the earlier part of last season, will probably be seen between the sticks, while Marcus Ribeiro, a newcomer, is also in the running for that position.



J. Santos, above, played for the Recreio during the 1932-33 soccer season, when he was responsible for the sensational defeat of South China, scoring two goals as the result of his amazing speed.

SUPERB TENNIS IN SHANGHAI EXHIBITION

JAPANESE DAVIS CUP PLAYERS

CARSON AND DUFF ON TOP OF FORM

Shanghai, August 30.

When a set extends over 24 games with the pace of the first game as fast and furious as the last, when each player puts his best into each stroke and directs each ball with a mind trained to outpace his opponent; and when the players concerned are the two first rankers of Japan in opposition to the first string men of Shanghai, it is not unreasonable to claim that such an exhibition of tennis must be accorded a class by itself.

Such was the magnificent exhibition on the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association's court yesterday afternoon when

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L. Gomes, the former St. Joseph's full-back, will make his soccer debut appearance for the Liga de Portuguesa de Hong Kong in the same position.

RUGBY SEASON COMMENCES ON OCTOBER 19

INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT

N. Z. VARSITY MATCH DATE FIXED

The Rugby season proper commences on October 19 when the Rugby Section of the Hong Kong Football Club meet the Army in a friendly game on the Club ground.

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Season's 1st XV Fixtures

The following is the complete Senior fifteen fixtures for this season, the home team being first mentioned:—

1935

Oct. 19 Club v. Army

Nov. 26 Navy v. Club

Nov. 2 Club v. Navy

9 Army v. Club

16 Club v. Navy

23 Navy v. Club

30 Club v. Army

Dec. 7 Army v. Navy (T.T.)

14 Navy v. Club (T.T.)

21 Army v. Club (T.T.)

28 Club v. Navy (T.T.)

1936

Jan. 4 Club v. Army (T.T.)

11 U. S. v. Club

17 (approx.) Visit of New Zealand Universities XV (Club ground)

18 Navy v. Army (T.T.)

24 or 25 Hong Kong v. Shanghai (Interport)

(Club ground)

Feb. 1 First Round International Tournament (Club ground)

8 Final Round International Tournament (Navy ground)

15 Army v. Volunteers

22 Club v. H. K. & S'hai Bank

29 Army v. Club

March 7 Seven-a-side Finals (Club ground)

Triangular Tournament games are marked T.T.

\$2,000,000 FOR TOTE IN AUSTRALIA

Total Government Revenue To Date Is \$407,056

Melbourne, August 14.

The rise in totalisator receipts since the system was introduced into Australia in September, 1931, was continued in the financial year ending June 30 when investments amounting to almost \$2,000,000 brought the aggregate to about \$3,000,000.

Government revenue from the 5 per cent. statutory deduction, broken money payments, and unclaimed dividends has shown corresponding improvement, collections for 1934-35 being \$12,251.

The total Government revenue to date from totalisators is \$407,856.

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GOOD BASEBALL ENCOUNTER FOR THIS AFTERNOON RESULT MAY DECIDE CHAMPIONSHIP

U.S.S. MINDANAO AND CHINESE

The result of to-day's baseball clash between the Chinese and the U.S.S. Mindanao will be awaited with great interest by the other two teams in the local baseball league, as a win for the sailors will place the Americans and the Japanese once again in the running for the championship.

There will probably be a large crowd to witness this game, for apart from the important bearing it has on the league standings, it should be one of the most interesting games of the season. This is the first occasion these two teams have met this season, although they have clashed before in friendly games and in Canton with the honours about even.

Moe Will Pitch

The Chinese are relying on the same team which overwhelmed the Japanese a fortnight ago at Caroline Hill. Moe will pitch for them in preference to Ed. Chang, who will be playing at left-field. The team has been practicing strenuously and are confident of victory.

Mr. Chang, who was not seen in the last game owing to illness, has now fully recovered and will be in his usual position at first base.

Mindanao Unchanged

The Mindanao are also not changing their line-up and will rely on the team that beat the Americans and the Canadians during the last week-end to give them victory this week.

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SWEDEN WINS ATHLETIC MEETING IN BERLIN

Germany Lose Grip On Early Advantage

Berlin, September 1. — The two day, five nations contests was held yesterday and to-day in the Post Stadium. Every seat of the 40,000 available was sold out in advance. The athletic contest was fought out between Germany, Sweden, Hungary, Italy and Japan.

Germany led at the end of yesterday's contests by 18½ points, but to-day Sweden forged ahead, the final score reading Sweden 56 points, Germany 52½, Hungary 40, Japan 33 and Italy, 16½.

BRITISH INTERESTED IN SOVIET SOCCER TEAM

London, September 1. — English sporting circles have followed the Soviet Ukraine football team in their Paris games with keen interest, especially the victory of the Soviet players over the Red Star team. The newspapers note the brilliant teamwork of the Soviet players.

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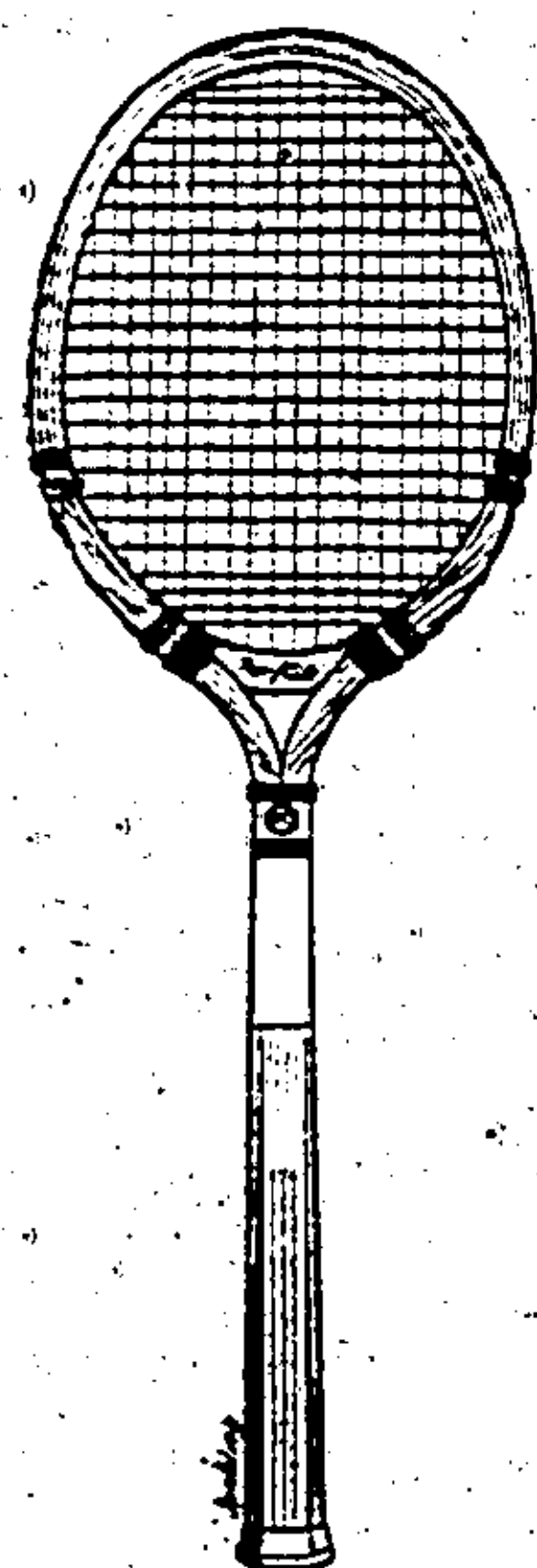
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NANKING TO NOMINATE CITY ATHLETES

To Participate In China National Games

Nanking, September 2. Preparations are being made by responsible authorities for Nanking's participation in the forthcoming national athletic meet, which will be held in Shanghai on October 10, China's Independence Day.

Nanking's track and field team will be chosen on September 11 when sprinters, middle-distance, and long-distance runners, and others will vie for the honour of representing the capital city. The city basketball team will be picked on September 16, and the rest of the track and field delegates on September 13.—Central News.

OPEN GOLF TITLE OF CANADA

Young American Wins With Aggregate of 280

Montreal, August 31. Gene Kunes, of Norristown, Pa., won the Canadian Open Golf championship here to-day with an aggregate of 280.

The young American played consistently good golf throughout the competition. He did two of his four rounds in two under par, his final figures being 70, 68, 74, 68.

Walter Hagen, the captain of the American Ryder Cup team, tied with two others for sixth place with 288, while Sam Parks, the American Open champion, could do no better than 291.

Tammy Armour, the holder, did not defend his title. He hurt his shoulder the day before the championship started.

The scores of the leading American competitors were: Gene Kunes, 70-68-74-68—280; Horton Smith, 72-72-75-68—287; Paul Runyan, 73-71-71-73—288; Walter Hagen, 74-71-74-69—288; Sam Parks, 72-74-72-73—291.

RUGBY SEASON COMMENCES ON OCTOBER 19

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There are many new features attached to this season, the outstanding being the introduction of the International Tournament between England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales the teams for which will be selected from the Club, Navy and Army.

Interport For Colony

The Interport will be held in the Colony this time and takes place on January 24 or 25, while January 17 has been reserved for the visit of the New Zealand Universities' fifteen.

The Army will still be using the Sookunpoo ground, except on February 23, 1936, when the Polo ground in Kowloon will be used.

Navy Ground

The Navy have their own ground at Causeway Bay this year, thereby relieving the Club ground of the usual congestion of fixtures.

The Wednesday "A" XV games will be continued as usual, while "A" games on Saturdays will be played before first fifteen games.

America Impressed By British Polo Team

New York, August 18.—"The finest team ever sent to the United States by England." Such was the opinion of the experts after the Hurlingham team, who are to compete in the American Open Championship, had defeated a U.S. side by 12 goals to 7 in their opening practice match at the Barnet Mills Club, Bedminster (New Jersey).

BATSMEN ON TOP

HENDREN AND HUMAN SHINE AGAINST SURREY

LANCS' FATAL TEA INTERVAL

FASTEST CENTURY BID JUST FAILS

London, August 7. Making light of the task of getting 394 runs for the lead, Middlesex outplayed Surrey at the Oval. Passing their opponents' total with five men out, Middlesex established a lead of 119 runs with three wickets to fall before the close.

Hendren played a great innings of 195—his third century this season and the 154th of his career. J. H. Human also hit his first 100 of the season, and in three and a half hours the pair put on 285 runs for the fifth wicket. Hendren hit a six and 23 4's and Human 22 4's.

Hendren got his first 50 out of 110 in 75 minutes, and reached 103 in two hours 40 minutes. Once he drove a no-ball from Fender almost into the Press box for 6, while his figures at this stage included fourteen 4's.

Human—edging an occasional ball—was none the less aggressive. He made some beautiful off-drives and cuts while completing 51 out of 96 in an hour and a quarter.

Curious Ending To Stand

THE stand ended curiously. Human made a hard cut, and Wilson, fielding in the gully, scooped the ball up. Wilson stood still with the ball in his hands, and Holmes, the bowler, sat down. Then came a loud appeal, and Chester, the umpire, gave Human out.

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HONG KONG CHINESE SWIMMING

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Chan Ho-fook, the Chinese Bathing Club star, returned the best time in the 50 Metres Free Style event, being a second better than Norman Lee, who was second.

In the Ladies' events, Miss Yeung Sau-chan won both her races, though Miss Chan Fung-hing gave her a good fight in the 100 Metres Back Stroke event.

In the other event for men the best time recorded was that of Fung Chun-ye, who won his heat with comparative ease and who would have done better had he been extended.

The trials will be continued this evening at 8 p.m. in the same bath.

RADIO ATTACK WILL BE STRENGTHENED

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M. H. Hassan has recovered from his nasty football accident last year, which kept him in bed for over three months, and will probably be seen among the halves.

Best Forward

H. de Souza played inside-right for the Radio last season and was the most successful forward. With youth on his side, he has yet plenty to learn, but he definitely has possibilities of a bright future.

J. Tavares, last year's skipper and left-winger, and Sherriff, full-back, are also likely to play this season.



The Pitnoff name will shine among women swimmers for another generation. Elinor Pitnoff (below), of Somerville, Mass., the maternal star, is the daughter of Rose Pitnoff (top), the famous swimmer.

BRITISH SUCCESSES IN GERMAN TOURNEY

CAPTAIN FRANCIS TO MEET SPANIARD ONCE AGAIN

BRITISH players did well in the German Amateur Championship, which was begun to-day. Captain Francis will meet an old rival in J. de Arana, of Spain, in the second round to-morrow. They have previously met in the French and Belgian Championships, Arana winning on both occasions.

Francis defeated H. Schuldt, of Wannsee, by 5 and 4 in the first round to-day, while Arana beat S. Inouye, of Cambridge University, by a similar margin.

H. G. Bentley, a former champion, beat Major P. Charlton, of the Spa Club, Belgium, by 5 and 4, and will oppose J. G. Griffith, of Oxford University, to-morrow.

H. C. Neilson, the Cambridge University captain, had a bye into the second round, in which he will meet Jose Vallejo, a Neguri. H. L. Archibald, the holder, received a walk over.

J. S. L. Lyon, another Cambridge University player, holed an eight-yard putt on the last green to beat F. Gutmann by two up.

J. A. Graham, of the Royal Liverpool Club, was taken to the 22nd hole by G. G. D. Carter, of Cologne, after being three up at the 12th. Both missed 12th putts at the 18th.

Another Cambridge University golfer, G. O. Peake, played well in beating W. H. Birmingham, of Sunningdale, by one up. Peake meets R. S. Belasco, of Cambridge University, in the second round.

L. V. Beckerath, who has played in the British Boys' Championship, defeated L. de Olabarri, of Spain, by 4 and 3.



FOOTBALL

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Best "Find"

H. T. Souza is undoubtedly the Liga's best "find". He played for the Recreio during the seasons 1930-31 and 1931-32, when the Gosano brothers were playing for the Saints, and was a great success. He was, however, not in the same class as either A. V. Gosano or Bertie and was subsequently dropped on their return to the Recreio side.

Among the other forwards who are down on the Liga's list are E. A. and H. A. Botelho, M. Lenz, L. A. Elarte, C. M. Santos, former Recreio left-winger, J. C. Santos, who played for the Recreio seniors two years ago, G. A. Sousa, R. M. Guileres, D. M. Xavier and H. M. Silva.

KOWLOON DOCK TO ENCOUNTER CRAIGENGOWER

CIVIL SERVICE TO TACKLE RECREIO

TO-DAY'S BOWLS PROGRAMME

With their victory over the Recreio to spur them on, Kowloon Dock will travel to the Valley to-day to engage Craigenower "A" in what should be a dour and interesting struggle. If there is any chance of the shipbuilders winning, the chance rests with J. McKelvie's four, who, it will be recalled, gave C. G. Silva his first league defeat this year.

After a series of defeats the Civil Service suddenly rose to unexpected heights and defeated the Kowloon C.C. last week. They will, however, have to improve to-day for they are opposed to the Recreio, who will make a determined effort to retrieve lost ground.

Two other home teams, the Kowloon B.G.C. and the Police, should also win their matches, the former against the Indian B.C.,

SAFE PLAY DENIAL

"ENGLAND ARE OUT TO WIN SO ARE WE"

NOT TAKING ANY CHANCES

KEEN TO GO BACK AS VICTORS

(By W. F. SANDERSON).
Cheltenham, August 12.

H. F. Wade, captain of the South African cricketers, who play England in the fifth and final Test match at Kensington Oval on Saturday, gave me to-day the first interview he has granted to any newspaper during the tour.

He gave it because he wished to repudiate any suggestion that the South Africans, who have only to draw the match to win the rubber, intend to "play safe" and make no attempt to win.

England, who lost the Test at Lord's and drew the other three, must win to make matters level.

Bold Cricket

"I am the only man who will decide on our tactics, and my decision has been made," Wade told me.

"We shall start the game on Saturday ready to accept the England team's challenge. They are, it is plain, all out for victory. So are we. We know that bold cricket will be needed to win a three-days Test match at the Oval, and we shall at least start that way. I admit that if we see danger because of our policy, then we shall change it.

"We are not taking foolish chances. We are keen to go back to South Africa as victors, but we would rather go back with two wins to our credit than one.

Sportsmanship

"I do not think it can be said that we have shown signs of bad sportsmanship, and to go into any game without the determination to try to win would be bad sportsmanship.

"At Leeds and Manchester we certainly played safe, but they were merely my decisions as to the best tactics in the circumstances."

He added that his men were fit, and he hoped to have his strongest team in the field.

"A" Go For Victory

"Why, then, should we refuse England's challenge?" he continued. "I have talked this matter over with our players and not one wants to shirk the issue. Each tells me, 'Let's have a go for victory, Herbert.'"

"We admit that we have done a shade better than we expected. But we have also won one Test with every condition equal for both sides. We therefore see no reason to fear the Oval match."

and the latter against Craigenower "B."

Taikoo is the only junior home team to be favoured to win to-day, when they meet Craigenower. The Hong Kong shipbuilders are in excellent form at present, and the only regret in this connection is that they did not find their form earlier in the season.

"SKIP'S FORECAST FOR TO-DAY

SENIOR DIVISION	
CRAIGENGOWER "A" (88)	KOWLOON DOCKS (49)
CLUB DE RECREIO (58)	CIVIL SERVICE (46)
KOWLOON B.G.C. (—)	INDIAN B.C. (—)
POLICE B.C. (68)	CRAIGENGOWER "B" (56)
JUNIOR DIVISION	
TAIKOO B.C. (—)	CRAIGENGOWER (—)
CIVIL SERVICE (59)	CLUB DE RECREIO (58)
H. K. ELECTRIC (48)	KOWLOON B.G.C. (71)
YACHT CLUB (61)	POLICE B.C. (52)
FOOTBALL CLUB (35)	KOWLOON C.C. (70)

Figures in brackets denote the result of the corresponding game last season, while underlined teams are favoured to win.

M.C.C. TO OPEN AUSTRALIAN CRICKET SEASON

Full Fixture List Already Arranged

Sydney, August 13. The M.C.C. team, who will tour Australia and New Zealand during the coming season, will open the Australian programme with their match at Perth against Western Australia, starting on October 31.

Their other matches in Australia will be: v. South Australia, at Adelaide, November 8, 9, 11 and 12; v. Victoria, at Melbourne, November 15, 16, 18 and 19; v. New South Wales, at Sydney, November 22, 23, 25 and 26; v. Queensland, at Brisbane, November 29, 30, December 2 and 3.

PHILIPPINES TO INAUGURATE TENNIS SERIES?

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not be in form in winter, it is certain that the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association will turn down the invitation of the Philippines group when it will be received.

Manila May Donate Cash

The proposal of Manila, however, will probably lead to a new Interport series in the near future. It is expected that in order to make sure that Tientsin and Hong Kong will come if invited next summer, Manila will offer to put up part of the expenses as tennis is very popular in the Philippines capital and the series should draw a record crowd.

The Philippines applied for participation in the Interport series over a year ago and the application was accepted. Recently, however, the Phila addressed a letter to the tennis officials of Hong Kong requesting details of this year's competition and reply was received that the series will be held in Shanghai.

No Reply From Shanghai

Communication was addressed to the Shanghai officials but no reply was received. Shanghai had previously advised Phila officials that the competition this year would be held in Hong Kong.

Phila officials believe that an Interport organisation which would conduct an annual tennis series between Hong Kong, Shanghai and Manila would serve to stir up a great deal of interest in tennis in this section of the world, and would provide keen outside competition.

GOOD BASEBALL ENCOUNTER FOR THIS AFTERNOON

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Jones, who pitched splendidly during last week-end, will again be on the mound, while Horton, the regular pitcher, will be covering the important position of short-stop.

Vacca, the heavy hitter of the team, will again be seen at second, and, together with Murphy and White, will probably be the mainstay of the sailors' batting strength.

The following are the teams: U. S. S. Mindanao: — Moore (c) Jones (p) White (1st b.) Vacca (2nd b.) Lottick (3rd b.) Horton (s.s.) Bartlett (1st) Allen (c.f.) and Murphy (c.f.). Chinese: — J. Kan (c) Moe (p) M. Chang (1st b.) W. Ching (2nd b.) T. Chin (3rd b.) Walter Ching (s.s.) E. Chang (1st) H. Chung (c.f.) and H. Chang (c.f.).

McKAY WINS BOWLS TOURNEY AT VALLEY

H. McKay, the Police bowler, played very well yesterday when he beat W. J. D. Cameron by 21 shots to 19 to win the Novices competition on the Police B.C. green.

A FRENCHMAN TRAINING SOVIET FOOTBALLERS

Moscow, August 5.—M. Limberg, a French sportsman, has come here from Paris to train Moscow footballers. "Tass."

China Mail

HOME SUPPLEMENT

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Helen Jacobs Talks On Women At Wimbledon

THE victory of Dorothy Round at the Beckenham tournament, considered to be one of the most important pre-Wimbledon meetings, has caused much speculation as to her chances of successfully defending her English title during the coming fortnight. To many of us her decisive win over Kay Stammers, who the day before had defeated Mrs. Moody in two sets, was unexpected. Miss Stammers had produced brilliant tennis in accomplishing what only one other English woman had been able to do, and this fact, coupled with her extraordinary success in the British Hard-court Championships, seemed to indicate that Dorothy Round's slack form would not be equal to the task of winning.

However, the very quality that enabled Dorothy to win at Wimbledon last year was evidently responsible for her victory at Beckenham—the ability to raise her game to its highest level when the occasion demands. The most difficult thing about playing Dorothy Round is that one never knows what to expect from her. She might play quite indifferently in the early rounds of a tournament, and yet produce flawless tennis in the final. For this reason I feel that she will play as well at Wimbledon this year as she did last year.

It is fortunate for Hilda Sperling's opponents that she is not quite the player on grass that she is on hard courts. There is not, to be sure, any marked decrease in her ability on grass, but there is just that difference in her retrieving capability that enables her adversary to count occasionally on an outright winner. On the hard court, where the ball seldom slides away, she is apparently indefatigable, and, knowing that it is possible to retrieve almost any lob, will always try for and usually return it. She is the most deceptive player in women's tennis. When she first became prominent in tennis, one was apt to underestimate her game, because her strokes were produced in rather awkward style and it seemed that her unorthodox grip for the volley would never permit her to become efficient at the net. Since then we have all learned to regard her as the most difficult opponent in the world to defeat. The depth and regularity of her shots, the amazing length of her reach and stride, and her ability to bring off the most unexpected returns, have given her a fair share of the world's tennis titles.

Kay Stammers and Peggy Scriven, at their respective best, are, in my opinion, capable of the same degree of winning tennis. Their games are played in somewhat the same style: they both hit with the same power on their forehands and with increasing security on their backhands. Kay is, perhaps, better at the net than Peggy, although I have seen Peggy volley with great force and accuracy during an en-

tire match. But, in spite of their tennis, that can rise to superlative heights, they do not seem to possess the consistency of form in the major tournaments that has brought Dorothy Round above their class.

Mme. Simone Mathieu must always be regarded as a serious threat to any opponent. Many of the critics believe that she is a more dangerous adversary on hard courts than on grass, but with this opinion I cannot agree. It may be easier for her to retrieve her opponent's shots on hard courts, but her own are certainly more effective on grass. She hits a very flat drive on the forehand and one with slight spin on the backhand. On grass these shots tend to slide, and one seldom gets the chance to hit them as hard as one does on hard courts. Her service, which is not up to the rest of her game, bounces so much lower on grass that her opponent is usually prevented from hitting it for an outright winner, as I have often seen Peggy Scriven do in Paris.

Mme. Mathieu's short cross-court shots always pay their highest dividends at Wimbledon, where she very wisely uses them at every opportunity. The Centre Court turf, in particular, is very favourable to her whole game, but, despite this fact she requires more concentration to play well in England than in France, where she seems to feel that her temperament is more compatible with the general atmosphere. At various times there have been English players who could not play their best at Wimbledon—Mrs. Holcroft-Watson and Eileen Whittingstall come at once to mind—but there have been very few American players who could not adapt their games to the courts of the All-England Club, who have not felt that the atmosphere of friendliness, dignity, and importance was an inspiration to their best efforts and their best tennis, and who have not been able to profit from the experience.



Our photographs show Helen Jacobs, left, Dorothy Round, centre, and Katherine Stammers, right, all of whom

are now competing in the American National Championships at Forest Hills.



Miss Emmy Cepkova, the Czechoslovakian lawn tennis player, is sometimes called "The Greta Garbo" of the lawn tennis courts.



It's Posture That Counts In The New Beach Suits

ADMITTEDLY, beach clothes these days, with a perfect cut and fit that never existed a few years back. But their firmly gripping qualities, flattering though they may be to the slender, have one drawback—they reveal quite ruthlessly any faults of posture and deportment which we may have developed.

So many women think that a successful appearance in a modern swimming suit depends entirely on how good a figure they have. This is a mistake. A woman who carries herself beautifully and with pride will overcome deficiencies of figure, whereas her more fortunate sister with bad deportment will be quite unimpressive.

The slogan of a well-known American physical culture expert is "Posture Makes Perfect," and it takes a swimming suit to reveal to us how slack we are in this respect.

Get into your swimming-suit and stand in front of a long mirror. Be very critical of yourself and become aware of your own body and its particular shortcomings. Let your self slump and see what bad posture and flabby muscles do to your figure.

Now straighten up, drawing in the shoulder blades and flattening the back (which every swimming-suit leaves bare), brace up the thigh muscles by getting the weight off the heels, feeling poised for action, and pull in at the waist. Here is the root of the trouble: faulty posture invariably centres round the waistline. Here there are several layers of strong muscles, which when not used fail to give the natural support they were intended for, as well as throwing the whole body out of alignment.

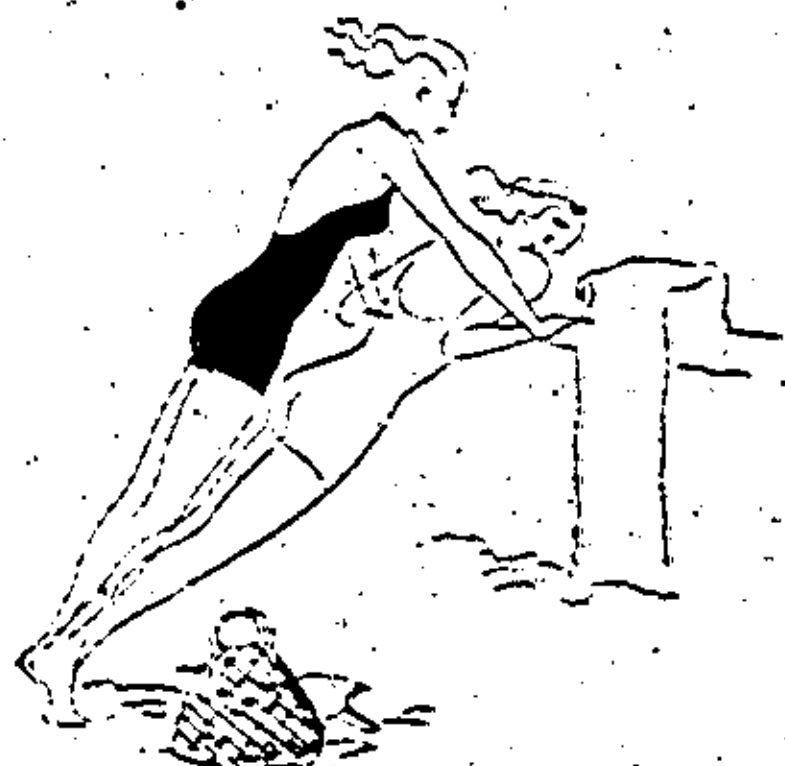
Lazy abdominal muscles are the usual cause of what is termed the "middle-aged spread," a state of affairs that should never happen if a little habitual figure discipline were introduced into everyday life.

Waste no time in getting rid of that feeling that you do not look

your best in your beach clothes by starting good habits in posture. Folds of flesh round the waistline are probably nothing, but lack of control and balance will bring beauty of figure, for a body held out of alignment looks misshapen.

Every time you look into a full-length mirror or catch a glimpse of yourself reflected in a shop window, criticise your posture and correct it. You are sitting out of doors, at the dining-table, in the theatre or cinema. Are you sitting well back in your seat, with your weight on your thighs and not on the base of your spine, with a corresponding "doubling up" around the waist?

Practise the "standing tall" position while waiting for a bus or train, instead of the usual one of out-thrust hip and sagging knees, and every step you walk can be a valuable corrective exercise if you concentrate on that pulling in at the waistline and lengthening of the body.



Lacquer Lore

Some lacquers are better for two applications. With others this is not necessary. When giving the nails a double coat, apply the first one thinly, and aim at getting a clear outline round the half moons. The arm can be steadied by resting it on the table. Allow the foundation to dry and then take a full brush of lacquer, and blob it on. The brush must not be pressed against the nail. Let the varnish run down to the end of the nail and then wipe round with a strip of butter muslin.

Finally, a cream or oil should be applied to the cuticles.

House Proud Notion

When your guests open the drawers of their dressing tables to put away their belongings, they are usually confronted by snow-white paper linings.

This may be very clean and hygienic, but a prettier idea is to line them with sheets of daintily coloured wall-paper, which may be renewed as often as necessary.

Many housewives make most attractive coverings for their piles of linen, which, apart from their appearance, also keep sheets and towels clean.

Each cover is made of chintz or linen, and it is usually square in shape. The pile of linen is placed upon it, cornerwise, and the four corners are lapped over tidily in place. When the covers are made of plain linen, they may be bound with another colour, or a deeper shade of the same colour, with a monogram to match.

Sometimes the corner of the cover is secured by a band of linen which keeps it neatly in place.

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BEAUTY DIARY

• BY Esther •

Treat Your Neck For The New Necklines



ned around to protect the hair and the pillow.

The bleaching cream is used every other night, until it has whitened the neck, when once a week is sufficient.

On all the other evenings a skin food is used instead of the bleaching cream, to fill out hollows and get rid of lines and wrinkles.

Pat Away Double Chins. Here, too, there are many makes of feeding cream, some of which give marvellous results; almond oil is good.

You can also buy a puffer at most beauty shops to pat the cream into the skin, quite vigorously, working again upwards from the throat and outwards. This patting will stimulate the muscles, for sagging muscles are responsible for necks which are wrinkled and thin and also for many double chins.

Double chins should, however, be treated a little differently. The skin food treatment should be given every other night, and on the remaining nights astringent lotion should be given instead of the cream. A good home-made astringent consists of equal parts of witch hazel and rosewater.

Helpful Exercises. And lastly, exercises benefit all kinds of necks, because they tighten up the muscles. Perhaps the best exercise consists of stretching the chin upwards and "craning" the neck slowly over one shoulder, and then over the other. Repeat ten times. To tighten the chin muscles, stretch the head back, then forward.

As in all beauty treatment, perseverance will give the best results.

COTTON-WOOL for toilet purposes becomes quite interesting now that it has broken out into gay colours that will go with any decorative scheme.

A new "fern" soap for country lovers has a fascinating bitter-sweet scent that is most attractive. The tablet is economically curved to the shape of the palm.

For beauty behind the footlights, there is a wonderful new range of make-up that will be welcomed by those who are planning amateur theatricals for the autumn.

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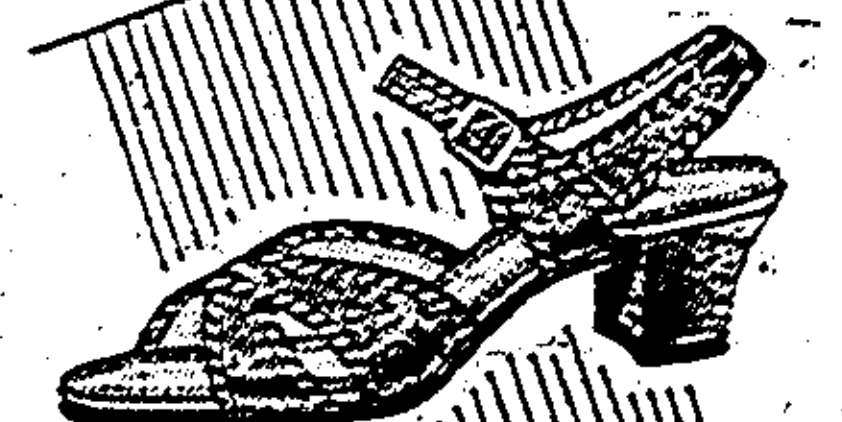
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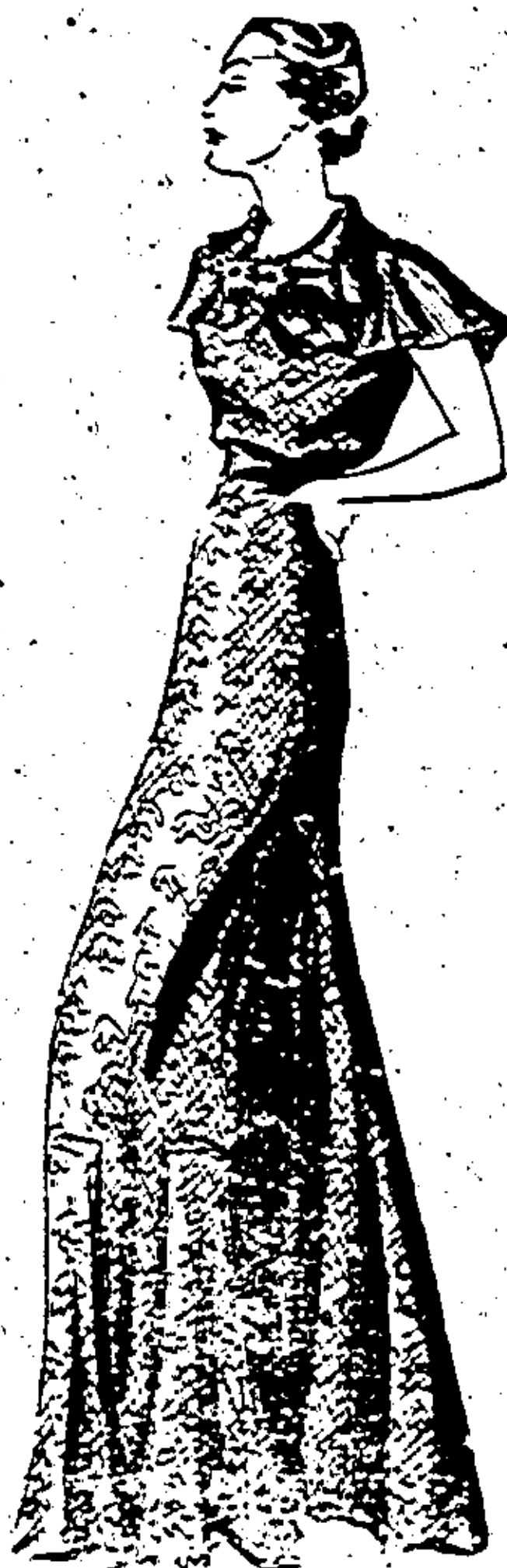
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flannel with a stitched belt cut to a diamond shape after it has passed through the buckle. The lower part of the skirt is very slim fitting and, to contrast with it, the three-quarter length coat has a full swaggery line and big sleeves. The coat itself is in beige flannel with one-inch strips of white flannel laid on in rows about the middle of the sleeves. A metal necklace worn under the collar gives it a new, semi-high but loose roll.

For women who like picturesque effects, there is an evening blouse that is popular for restaurant wear and cocktail parties. It could be made in palest pink, either linen or organdie, and with flounces edged with the narrowest possible border of hand-crocheted lace, worked in pale pink linen thread. The whole thing is stiffly starched and glazed. A short collarless coat (cut on the same lines but with one flounce only on the sleeves) made of black faille to match the skirt goes with this blouse. The blouse collar is worn over the coat, and its effect is very fresh and pleasing. A large black velvet hat with shallow crown and shaped brim completes the picture.

"Eyeshade" millinery has had such a success that it is inevitably translated into felt in preparation for the autumn. The new version has a ridged, rather squarer crown than the summer variety. It also seems to dip down at the back more sharply than the earlier type. It is predicted that the pork-pie hat with a large bunch of violets in front will have an even greater success made up in felt than it enjoyed as a summer model. A favourite outfit will be the pork-pie in cream felt, worn with a pleated cape of cream-linen over a chocolate brown crepe dress.

If you are a lover of mystery—and most women are—make a sari-cape to match one of your evening frocks. It can be made out of a remnant of crepe de Chine, chiffon, or creaseless organdie. If you slip the hood off your head and back over your shoulders, the effect is most attractive, and the whole thing is held in place by a couple of buttons or clips attached to your frock.

There is a strictly practical golfing outfit that the sportswoman might find useful. The skirt is divided—the Parisienne is wearing this type of skirt with enthusiasm—and the linen jacket, with an inverted pleat down the centre back, has an amusing yoke. This is made of crocheted linen thread, and short sleeves are all part of it. It is designed to give both coolness and freedom of movement.

Are you light, and do you often give the effect of floating through space? If so, go in for the new flat heelless Eastern sandals.

Consider your type, then, first of all before setting out to purchase items for your autumn wardrobe.

Do You Dress To Suit Your Type?

THERE are a great many women who are such definite types that they simply cannot follow every whim of fashion, much as they like to appear smart and up to date.

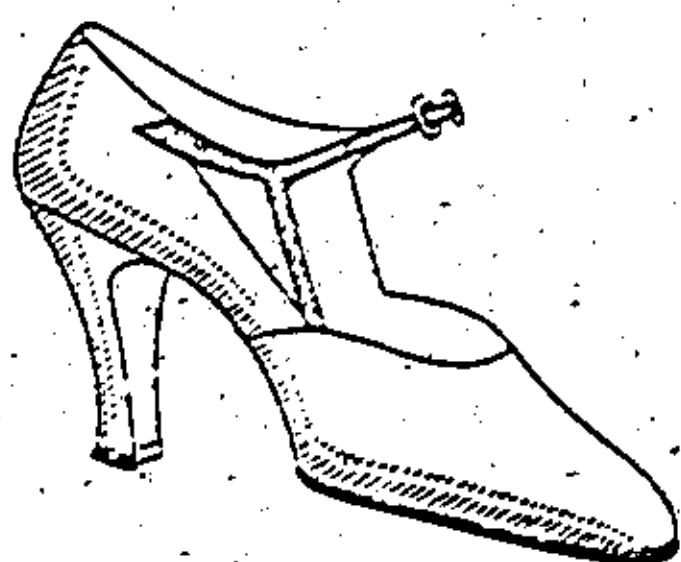
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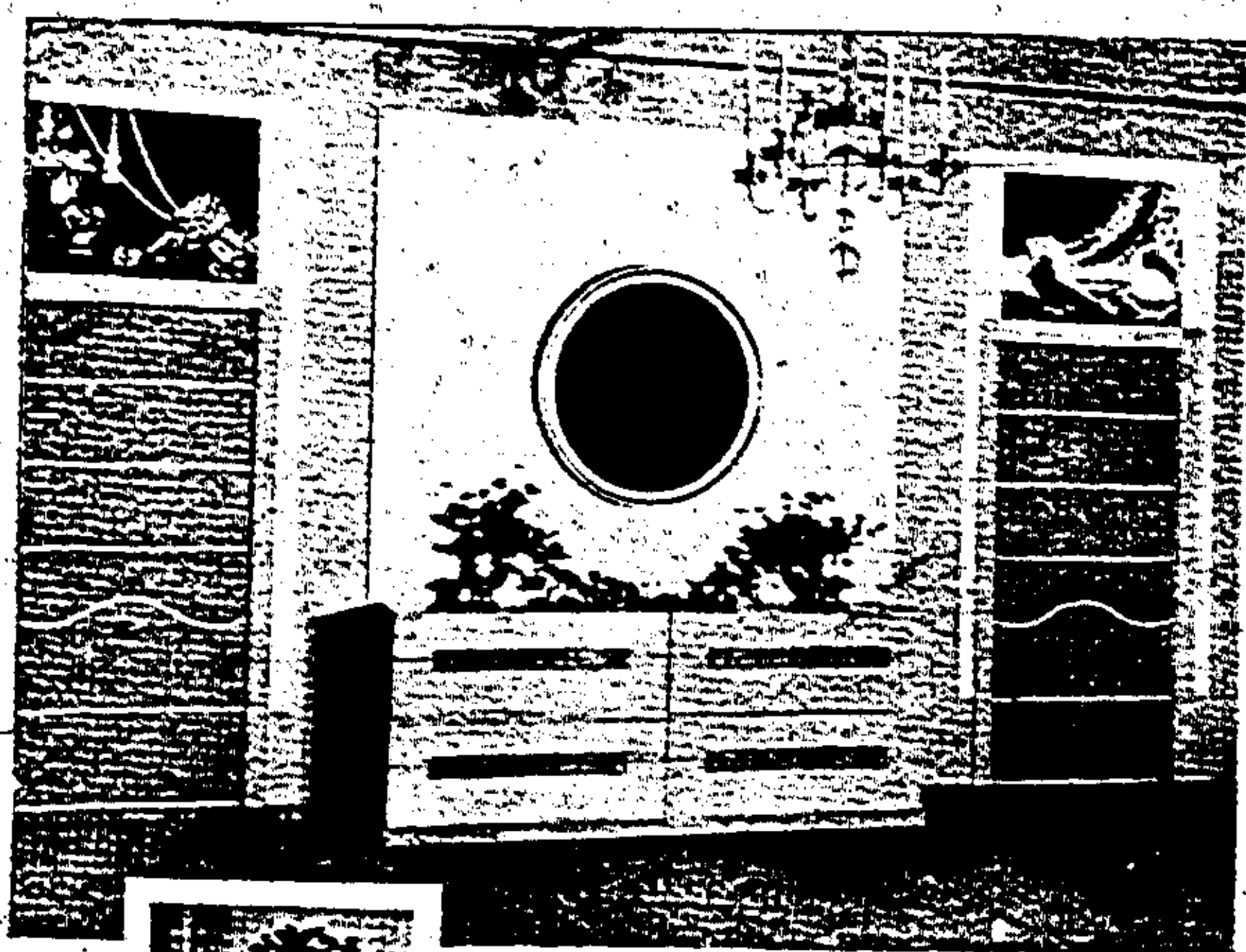
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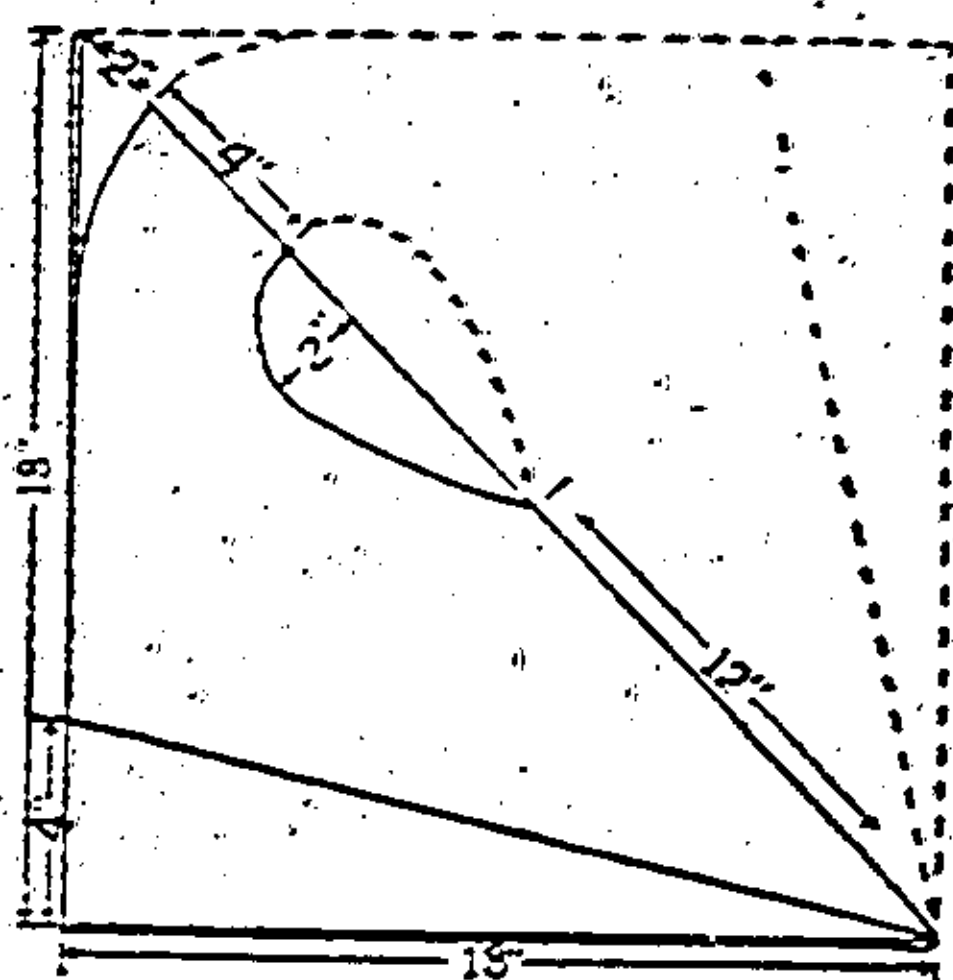
On this page you see variations of the chest-on-chest or chest-by-chest theme. You could work out others, using them high-and-low or to run across the entire end of a room. They would be heavenly to have in a bedroom. Note the white-studded, pearly beige leather doors with the low central knobs and the photo-mural.

panels above them. Finally there are units which are all different but fit together as snugly as a nest of blocks. Of such are perfect studies and libraries made. One is a desk and bookcase. One is cabinets only. One is closed cabinets and open shelves. Each is useful separately, better in combination. Thus your room grows naturally as a flower.



LEARN TO SEW

This Jabot Solves The Figure Problem



Do you happen to have that very difficult figure which combines a flat chest with a waist that is too wide? If so, you will be charmed with this jabot idea, which is specially intended for that type of figure: The collar is cut from an 18-inch-square of material, as shown here in the diagram at the left. Fold the square diagonally through the centre as shown, then measure in two inches from the upper end



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of the fold and mark the centre back of the outside edge of the collar. In four inches from this point mark the centre back of the neckline of the collar as shown in the diagram. Measure up 12 inches from the bottom of the fold edge and mark the centre front of the neckline as shown. Now, mark the neckline as you see it here. Next, mark a point four inches up from the lower left corner of the folded material, and then outline the back and sides of the outside edge of the collar, curving the back of the collar to follow the curve of the neckline. Mark the bottom of the collar in a straight diagonal line down to the lower right corner of the material. The wedge shaped pieces that you cut away at the bottom may be used to make cuffs if desired.

Little Tricks

For the Cork Table Mats

Cork table mats, if covered with American cloth, can be simply wiped over with a damp cloth when they are soiled. Cut out two circles of cloth for each mat and buttonhole the edges together with raffia or silk to match the colour scheme of the room.

Your Pleated Skirts

Keep a few clothes pegs of the "spring" variety in your bed-room drawer, and clip together the inverted pleats of your skirts when they are not being worn.

Crockery and Silver

It is a good plan to stuff tissue paper into the spout or neck of any crockery or silver which is being put away for some time. This prevents the dust settling where it is difficult to clean.

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for STAMP COLLECTORS

By A. E. L.

ONE of the rare errors in a British stamp issue has come to light—oddly enough, through the protests of indignant collectors. Buyers of sets of Morocco Agencies Silver Jubilee stamps have been annoyed to find included what they took to be a 10-centimes French Zone issue, of the Spanish 10-centimos.

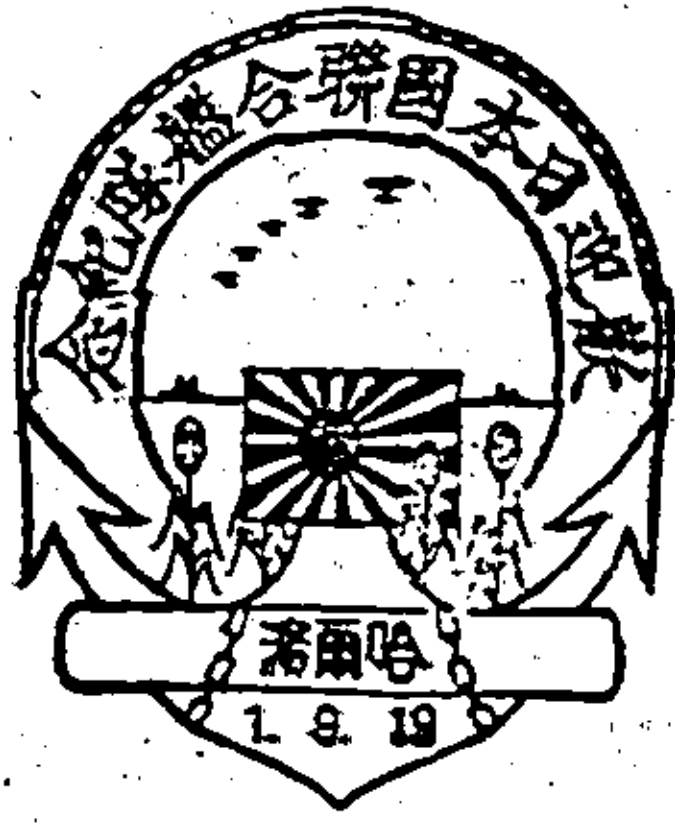
Dealers, assailed by their clients, looked over complete sheets of the 10-centimos issue and discovered in a number of them a single stamp inscribed "10 Centimes".

When the sheets were torn up, the Spanish error was not to be distinguished from the normal French stamp.

The error occurred only in a small printing. Many dealers must be deeply regretful that they tore up these sheets for the purpose of completing sets.

The error, joined to a correctly overprinted stamp, is selling at \$10, though the postal value is only 3d.

THE current 5c. (Caribou) of Newfoundland is now printed in a redder shade of lilac.



Postage Stamp War
WAR has broken out between Hungary and Czechoslovakia—a postage stamp war. The Czechoslovakian post office recently informed the Hungarian post office that it would not accept Hungarian air mail stamps. The reason is that the stamps bear the legend: "Justice for Hungary"—the slogan of those who demand the restitution of the former Hungarian portions of Czechoslovakia. Hungary replied by announcing that she will not accept similar Czechoslovakian stamps—so says the *Evening Standard*.

Commemorative Cachets
ACCORDING to the *Manchurian Collector* a number of commemorative cachets have already been applied to correspondence in the new State on special occasions. That which we illustrate here was used for three days in September, 1934, during the visit of a Japanese air fleet, and was applied at Harbin, Hsin-king and Mukden. The design includes an anchor, the Japanese military flag, battleships, aeroplanes and stems of kisoian. The upper inscription describes the occasion, and the lower bears the name Harbin in antique characters. The date is given as 19 September, 1st year of Kangte (i.e. 1934).

Egypt is likely to issue commemorative stamps next December (the occasion being the

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H.K. Volunteer Defence Corps

ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps Orders by Lieut-Colonel H. S. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E. Commandant, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Hong Kong, Friday, 6th September, 1935.

PARADE

The Battery will parade at Belcher's Fort at 6 p.m. on Thursday, 12th September, 1935—Dress—Overalls & Blue Cap.

Battery meeting will be held after the first parade at Belcher's Fort on 12th instant.

The Battery Dinner will be held at Volunteer Headquarters on Friday, 20th September 1935. Full details from the Dinner Sub-Committee.

The undermentioned will be examined in D.R.F. by the Instructor in Gunnery, China Command, at Belcher's Fort on Tuesday, 10th September beginning at 5.30 p.m.

No. 1324, B.Q.M.S. E. Moses.

No. 1760, A/B.S.M. D. Marshall.

No. 1829, Gunner, G. S. Gamble.

No. 1732, Gunner, H. S. Jones.

Corps Engineers

Monday, 9th September, 1935—A. A. Training at Stonecutters.

Duty launch will leave Kowloon at 6.15 p.m. and return about 9.30 p.m.

Haversack rations will be provided. Dress—Overalls.

Members should make a special effort to attend as it essential a second detachment be formed and trained.

Thursday, 12th September, 1935—A. A. Training at Instruction Shed, Wellington Barracks at 5.30 p.m. for members residing in Hong Kong and Whiffeld Barracks at 5.45 p.m. for Kowloon residents.

Corps Signals

Parade at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on—

Tuesday, 10.9.35 — for Signal Instruction.

EXPLORER STARTS FOR "THRILL"

Unmapped Area Covered On Alaskan Frontier

Mr. Bradford Washburn, a 25-year-old American explorer who started climbing mountains just for the thrill 10 years ago, has reported to the National Geographic Society on a 2,000 square-mile area, previously unmapped, on the Alaskan frontier.

COURT-MARTIALS

Charge of Disobeying Superior's Orders

ANOTHER CASE ADJOURNED

Fusilier Herbert George Crier, of the 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, was brought before a District Court Martial at Shamshui yesterday on a charge of disobeying the orders of a superior officer.

The Court comprised Major W. L. Eastwick-Field, R. A. (President); Capt. R. L. de Brissay, Lincolnshire Regt.; and Lieut. J. P. Williams, East Lancs.

The prosecuting officer was Lieut. Hon. G. B. Clegg-Hill, R.-W. F.

Provost-Sergeant T. Phillips, whose order was alleged to have been disobeyed by accused, gave evidence. Accused denied that Sergeant Phillips had made any such order. He thought he was arrested for refusing to be confined in barracks, and not for disobeying Sgt. Phillips.

Sentence will be pronounced later.

Alleged Theft

Prior to these proceedings, the Court dealt with another case in which Pte. L. Ogden, of the East Lancashire Regt., was charged with being in unlawful possession of a gold watch belonging to Mr. Eddy Harkness, musician on the ss. President Coolidge.

The case was one brought up the previous morning, and after hearing further evidence from the accused, the Court decided in favour of the accused to adjourn the case till the arrival of the President Coolidge in order that Mr. Harkness and other material witnesses be called.

Thursday, 12.9.35 — for Arms Drill.

Armoured Car Section will parade at Volunteer Headquarters on Tuesday, 10th September at 5.30 p.m. for Vickers Gun Instruction—Laying and Traversing.

Will all ranks do their utmost to attend as this is the last chance of practising before firing Part I of Machine Gun Classification.

Motor Machine Gun Section

Winter Season Training will commence with a parade on Monday, 9th September at 5.30 p.m. Full attendance is requested for allocation to subsections.

Wednesday, 11th September, 1935. Parade at 8.30 p.m. for Night Driving Practice.

M. G. Bn. Signal Section

Monday, 9th September 1935—W/T Instruction as previously arranged.

Wednesday, 11th September 1935—Section will parade for Signal Instruction.

All ranks are reminded that the Training Season has now commenced, and it expected that an effort will be made to attend all future parades.

Deficiencies in equipment should be reported at once.

No. 2 (Scottish) Company

All members are requested to attend the Company Meeting which will be held in the Lecture Room at Corps Headquarters on Thursday, 12th September at 5.30 p.m.

No. 3 (M.G.) Company

Fall in at Volunteer Headquarters on Monday, 9th September, 1935, at 5.30 p.m. sharp for Musketry Instruction.

Will all members make a special effort to attend this parade.

Dress—Muffi and Rifle.

Corps Infantry

Parade on Tuesday, 10th September at 5.30 p.m. at Volunteer Headquarters. Training as per Appendix.

Presentation of Jubilee Commemoration Medals by the Hon. J. P. Braga.

APPENDIX TO ABOVE

Category—Lewis Gun; Lesson—L. A. Stoppages. S. A. T. Vol. 11, 1931 page 58 to 75. Location—Headquarters.

Lewis Gun—Loading and Unloading Gun, Magazine Filling. S.A.T. Vol. 11 pages 6—17 (1931). Headquarters.

Musketry—Aiming Instruction. S. A. T. Vol. 1, 1931 pages 68—72 Stages 1, 2 & 3. Headquarters.

Musketry—Fire Empire Test. Miniature Range.

A. A. L. A. Company

Lecture and General explanation Introduction and Aiming... Chapter III—S.A.T. Vol. II, 1931. Headquarters.

Lewis Gun Training—join up with Category "B" Rifle Company. Headquarters.

Transfer

The following N.C.O.s and men are transferred to the A.A.L.A. Company:—

Sergt. C. F. Osmund, Coy. Headquarters, Pte. L. G. Morales No. 11 Ptn.

Corpl. V. A. Neves, No. 10 Platoon. Pte. H. E. Osmund, No. 11 Ptn.

L/Cpl. B. T. Gosano, No. 11 Platoon. Pte. H. M. Allemas, No. 11 Ptn.

L/Cpl. L. A. Roza, No. 11 Platoon. Pte. E. F. Sousae, No. 11 Ptn.

Pte. A. L. Remedios, No. 9 Platoon. Pte. R. G. Gomes, No. 11 Ptn.

Pte. F. A. Gill No. 9 Platoon. Pte. W. Ogley, No. 12 Platoon.

Pte. F. M. Britto, No. 9 Platoon. Pte. M. A. Baptista, No. 12 Platoon.

Pte. H. T. Sousae, No. 9 Platoon. Pte. C. A. J. Ribeiro, No. 12 Platoon.

Pte. M. M. Silva, No. 10 Platoon. Pte. J. H. Lawrence, No. 12 Platoon.

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Mr. E. Kamm is again responsible for the Chapter on Currency and Banking, and the Loan Tables.

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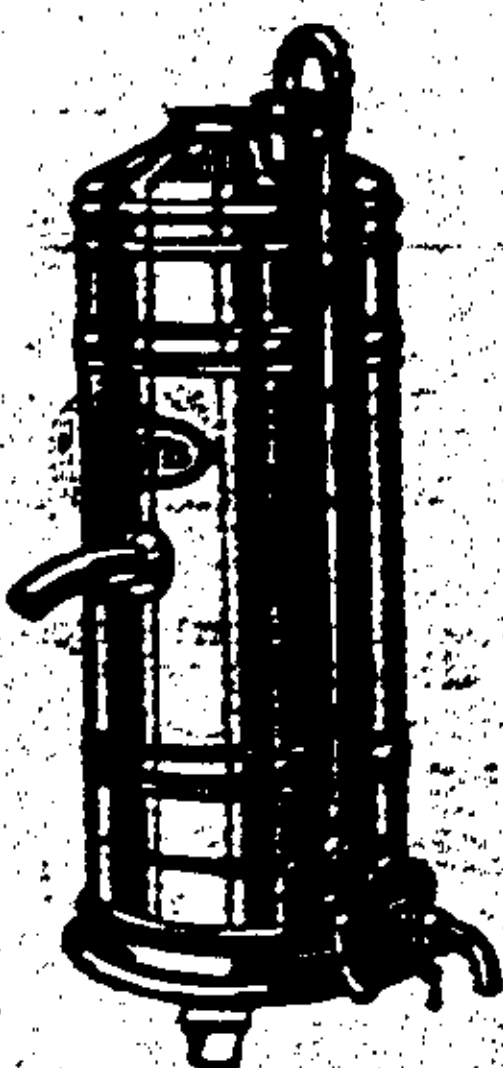
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The English Case

In recent issues we have stated, we hope with impartiality, if not with sympathy, the case which each of the "litigants"—if we may use that expression—had prepared for the Council of the League in this very interesting litigation, and it is worthy of notice that the resemblance to a plea and rejoinder in a Court of Law is itself a justification for the action taken by those who are anxious that the method of argument and compromise shall replace the method of bombs and slaughter. Anticipation in this case was not difficult, for the facts lie on the surface, and it is not to be expected that anything very new will be added to them. A few years ago there would have been no sifting of the grievances; there would have been a declaration of war—or even war without declaration; and the legend would have been inscribed in the history books that the Ethiopians—so far from being "blameless" as Homer always called them, on the principle that only civilisation, with its standards of right and wrong, made it possible to impute wrongdoing to a savage—had wantonly provoked a war, in which they had been backed by the greedy English. So far as the Geneva proceedings have brought out any new evidence, it is a bit of evidence that has had great effect on popular feeling, the evidence of the very generous offer made to Italy by France and England in the three-cornered conference under the terms of the Treaty of 1906. Those two Powers have continued to negotiate in the same spirit of "sweet reasonableness." Signor Mussolini seemed to feel that he would be at a disadvantage if the proceedings took the form of merely requesting him to observe the provisions of that Treaty, which is not only still valid but was signed on behalf of Italy with Powers that he cannot dismiss as "barbarians." But Mr. Eden made no attempt to press the point that the three Powers had pledged themselves not to attack Ethiopia or annex its territory without the concurrence of the other two. That would have been a strong debating point, but would probably have only led to a repudiation of the Treaty. For that there are so many recent precedents that nobody wants to make it an everyday occurrence. Without respect for Treaty obligations there can be no peace or progress.

The Treaty was merely recognised to have been "out-lived." Since then the Covenant has been drafted and signed by Italy as well as the "Pact of Paris," and the whole object of Mr. Eden is to lift those instruments off their dusty shelf and make them living factors in the calculations of statesmen. The procedure adopted was perhaps generous on a legal interpretation, but justified as a proof that there was no wish to seek a solution that would not satisfy all parties. But what is really important and new was the revelation that Mr. Laval and Mr. Eden, on behalf of their Governments, had offered to use their good offices—and a combination of the three countries would be very difficult for Haile Selassie to resist—in securing an application of the mandate system, whether called by that name or not, under which the League would supply expert advisers, with the Italian advisers in a specially defined and influential position. The word "mandate" is not yet familiar perhaps, but it is simply an appointment to be a trustee for a ward who is recognised as having a fundamental claim to ownership which is not to be taken away. If the word, with its precise meaning in the Roman Law, arouses prejudice, or is unsuitable to a "State-member" of the League, there can be no objection to dropping the word and defining the function. After all, the Negus and his Councilors would have to give their adherence.

Some years ago, when a loggiauous Member of Parliament was giving his views of what Italian policy ought to be, Disraeli warned him against "teaching diplomacy to the patriots of Machiavelli and Cavour." With that warning in mind, we do not intend to emulate the M.P.; but it does appear that the course of these negotiations has reduced it due to the simple doctrine of "War for War's sake," and that is in tune with his latest address to troops, when he told them to fight "because they could conquer." That will raise the question that we have to answer definitely: whether we are to save civilisation or destroy it. We do not believe that civilisation is yet ready for suicide.

A Gazette notification announces the recognition of Dr. George Duncan Ralph Black, O.B.E., as Honorary Consul for Cuba at Hong Kong, while the King's Exequatur empowering Monsieur Fernando Alegre to act as Consul General of Panama at Hong Kong has received His Majesty's signature.

Here
There
and
Everywhere



TRAFALGAR RELIC

A silver breakfast dish which saw service at the Battle of Trafalgar was recently sold in London.

It belonged to Lord Nelson, and is engraved with the coats-of-arms of Nelson and Bronte. The crests of the Victory and the Vanguard also appear on it.

THREE BROTHER AUTHORS

Mr. T. F. Powys, who has been awarded a Civil List pension for his services to literature, has been a poor man all his life.

He is one of a large family of Welsh brothers, sons of a country parson. Three of them live and write in different houses in the same Dorset village, East Chaldon. Mr. J. C. and Mr. Llewellyn Powys are the other two. A book on the three by Mr. Richard Heron Ward, will be published in the autumn.

Mr. T. F. Powys writes, in the Hardy tradition, about Dorset peasant life. Apart from a single volume of soliloquies he did not attempt to publish his work for many years. Then one day Mr. David Garnett happened to visit East Chaldon, "discovered" him, and saw to the publication of his first volume of short stories, "The Left Leg."

Since his son Theodore was killed in Kenya Mr. Powys has adopted a baby girl.

Your Daily Smile!

Reminder

A schoolmaster, giving a music lesson, inquired whether the pupils had any favourite anthems, they would like to sing.
"God Save the King," said one of the lads.
"Now, tell me what made you think of the National Anthem?"
"Because," replied the boy, "it's time to go home."

Last Three

One evening spinach was served at Oliver's home, and, as usual, there was a struggle to get him to eat it.
"But, dear," said his mother persuasively, "I know thousands of little boys and girls who would be only too glad to get spinach all the year long."

"H'm!" Oliver granted sceptical, "name three of them."

Wasn't Listening
Mother: "What are you reading about, Tommy?"

Tommy: "I don't know."

Mother: "Well, you were reading aloud."

Tommy: "Yes, but I wasn't listening."

Not the Time

"Next to a beautiful girl, what do you consider the most interesting thing in the world?"
"When I'm next to a beautiful girl I don't bother about statistics."

CORRESPONDENCE

Accountancy Exams.

[To the Editor, "China Mail"]

Sir—Kindly allow me to utilise the valuable space in the columns of your esteemed paper in confirming the brilliant success of local candidates in the June 1935 Intermediate Examinations of the International Institute of Accountants.

I have just received reports from the Board of Examiners of the Institute to the effect that Mr. Tsao Chak Chun received first place, and is the recipient of the gold medal awarded for this examination by the Australian President to the candidate obtaining the highest marks in the East, whilst Mr. Foulser, an Australian candidate, is awarded the New South Wales vice-president's gold medal which is similar to the one won by Mr. Thomas K. Young, also a School of Accountancy & Commerce candidate in the December 1934 Intermediate Examinations.

It is also pleasant to note that Mr. Pau Ka Lin received second place, and Mr. Young Kong, Low third place, while Messrs. Pau Ka Ping and Alfred Fong, all of Hong Kong, passed with honours in the same examination.

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A total of 131 new radio licences were issued in the Colony during the month of August.

HOW I WOULD SOAK THE RICH

WEAKNESSES IN THE SYSTEM

CAPITALIST STRUCTURE DISCLOSES FUNDAMENTAL FAULTS

(By Oliver Baldwin)

London. It is not generally realised that out of our total adult population only 4½ millions come within the scope of income tax, and of that number only 2½ millions pay full taxes without rebate.

It is because the wealth of our country is in the hands of so few that increased taxation is necessary and equally limited in its possibilities.

If this country were a business concern it would close down to-morrow; for instead of its people receiving dividends from its colossal production it is constantly paying out money in the shape of taxation to keep it going. Consequently a continuous increased taxation of the rich is bound to produce financial panic, against which present financial methods are impotent.

Present System

It has long amazed me why those who believe in the capitalist system have not brought it up to date or even tackled its fundamental weaknesses. No capitalist Government can ever bring prosperity back to this country on the shoulders of the present financial system. No Labour Government can ever hope to produce anything but financial panic should it attempt increased taxation of the rich. No Socialist Government could ever introduce Socialism until the financial system is altered, and the Socialists of England, unfortunately for them, have not realised this yet.

The great weakness of the capitalist system is that money is of two kinds—national and international—and the same actual form of money does the work of both. This is too much for it. The system of loans and interest in their financing is archaic and ludicrous, and the method by which a bank lends a debtor more money to pay interest on a former loan is only worthy of the mad-house.

Money was invented as a medium to be used in the exchange of goods and, if people want it to speculate with, then let them have a special speculating medium whose rise and fall does not affect the economic existence of a country.

Great Weakness

To realise that a group of financiers by withdrawing barren funds from one country's capital to another can cripple that country's import trade is to appreciate that we have no control over our destinies and are at the mercy of international usury.

To realise that our great nation gives a monopoly of the creation and issue of fluid money to a private institution and then borrows it back from that institution at interest is to see that in 1698 we were caught napping.

Caught Napping

To realise that under a gold standard, however great may be our increase in capitalist production, the amount of money needed to circulate it must exceed the total amount of gold dug up in some far corner of the globe (except for that artificial piece of nonsense, the "fiduciary issue") is to perceive that we are crippling industry and keeping down the standard of living for no other reason than that of sheer stupidity.

This has come upon us owing to our acceptance of such slogans as "Sound finance," "Delicate fabric of exchange," and "Safe as the Bank of England."

Medium Of Exchange

There is no need to "soak the rich," or suffer the agonies of unemployment and had trade if we put money back where it belongs and keep it solely as a medium of exchange. After all, before finance was international, trade was the only method of acquiring production.

Why? This they are prevented from doing: not because they cannot produce or transport their production but because there is not sufficient medium of exchange in the pockets of the masses to complete the exchange of goods.

Why? Why is it that the millions in China or India or Africa cannot have cotton goods, radio sets, motor-cars, tinned foods, books, and anything they would care for when there are all these things to be had and more to be made by people now out of work? It is because the controllers of our destinies will not allow money to get out of their hands while they still claim interest for the purpose of supplying them with the medium of exchange.

Surely, sound finance should be neither more money in circulation—as happened in Germany after the war, nor less money than there are goods—as in Britain to-day, but an equal amount of money and goods—a balance of production and money. It is all very well to point to idle money in banks and say that it is included in the amount of money we are "allowed," and that therefore an increase would mean inflation; but money left idle should automatically become a different medium, and should be independent of fluid currency so that inflation could not arise.

A Strange Thing

It is a strange thing that when our Governments set up commissions of inquiry on any other subject but finance they will go out of their way to nominate men and women who know nothing of the subject under discussion, in the belief that such people will be unbiased.

On the other hand, an inquiry into currency or finance is merely a collection of bankers whose interest is to keep things as they are in case the "delicate fabric of finance" should be upset.

The way out is in the hands of the capitalists, but if they will not take it, then the cry of "Soak the rich" will become stronger and stronger, since if the sane way out is closed the ordinary man will try all the doors.

The day a political party goes to the country on currency reform pure and unadulterated will be the dawn of hope for economic civilisation. The Tory Party could do it. Mr. Lloyd George could do it. The Labour Party could do it. Unfortunately the former is not interested; Mr. Lloyd George cannot see the wood for his fruit trees, and the Labour Party is, as usual, too orthodox.

KOWLOON WHARF ACCIDENT

Loose Gangway Falls On Two Men

BOTH SERIOUSLY INJURED

Chung On, 26, a tally-man engaged by the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, and Chan Ching-jing, 41, a wharf coolie, were seriously injured at about noon yesterday when the aft gangway of the a.s. General Pershing, which was alongside Kowloon Wharf at the time, worked loose and fell on the wharf.

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Genoa and Valencia.

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BATSMEN ON TOP

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Hendren's dismissal at 424 was dramatic. He swept a fast ball from Gover round to leg, and Brooks, the wicketkeeper, ran at top speed for 20 yards, and made a spectacular catch.

Crisp's Brilliant Bowling

CRISP, the South Africans' fast bowler, accomplished his best performance of the tour in taking 10 wickets for 67 against Warwickshire at Birmingham, where the county were beaten by an innings and 174 runs.

Following the tropical rain of Thursday, the pitch gave the bowlers assistance yesterday, and 13 wickets went down for 118 runs. Crisp, keeping a splendid length, varied his pace so skilfully that he claimed five wickets for 36. He took five for 31 in the first innings.

Kennedy Returns To Game

KENNEDY, the Hampshire medium-pace bowler, appearing in his first match of the season for the county this season, played a big part in the defeat of Essex by 78 runs at Chelmsford.

Keeping a splendid length all through, Kennedy well deserved his analysis of 6 wickets for 84. Hill also bowled well to get three victims for 10 runs each.

Why Stop For Tea?

A BRILLIANT century by N. S. Mitchell-Innes—his first in county cricket—enabled Somerset to recover at Weston-super-Mare and draw their match with Lancashire.

In the end Lancashire were left the task of scoring 102 to win in 75 minutes. In their efforts to hit off the runs they fared badly against the fast bowling of Wellard and Andrews and soon it became anyone's game.

A tea interval was taken, when Lancashire had lost six wickets for 70 in 55 minutes! Thus time was wasted and, to make matters worse, the captains decided that as there could be only 10 minutes' more play, they would not go on with the game.

Mitchell-Innes did well when hitting to leg, and when eighth to leave at 281 he had defied the attack for four hours 20 minutes in making 139 out of 256, including 14 fours.

Fastest Century Bid Just Fails

ERROL HOLMES, the Surrey captain, came near to hitting the fastest century so far this season, when helping his county to force a draw with Middlesex at the Oval.

The Somerset player, Gimblett, is the pacemaker, with a 100 in 63 minutes. Yesterday Holmes put on 91 in 52 minutes—and was then caught out in trying a big hit.

Driving magnificently, Holmes hit 42 of three successive overs from Human, getting his runs out of 125, he twice drove the ball into the pavilion seats for 6, and also had a 5 and a dozen 4's among his figures.

Holmes seized his chance when the Middlesex captain, realising there was no hope of a victory, rested his regular bowlers.

Nourse's Fourth Century

A NOT out innings of 160 by Nourse was the feature of the match between the South Africans and Warwickshire at Edgbaston. Nourse, not out 99 in the morning, reached his fourth hundred of the tour after batting two hours 50 minutes. Altogether, he stayed four hours 10 minutes and sent the ball 15 times to the boundary in making his highest score this season.

Upset By Howarth And Peck

WORCESTERSHIRE'S bowlers again carried everything before them at Cheltenham, where Gloucestershire were beaten by eight wickets.

The Western county, who have now lost seven matches in succession, began nine ahead with eight second-innings wickets to fall yet they were all out for the addition of 22 runs! The fourth, fifth and sixth wickets fell at 52, and the eighth and ninth also fell at one total.

Flighting his left arm, Howarth, cleverly, and making the batsmen sharply, Howarth was almost unplayable and came out with these four scores:—



Warner Oland, as Charlie Chan, will be seen in a most baffling mystery, "Charlie Chan in Egypt," a Fox Film production, which is among the coming attractions at the King's Theatre. Pat Paterson and Thomas Beck are shown here on the left and right, respectively.

MIND READERS

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"He's dead—shot—look!" Simpson's companion pointed to the patch of blood above the heart. P.C. Simpson stared down at his first murder, all too aware of the tremendous importance to him and to his career; he had a confused memory of instructions he had received as to what a policeman should do in such circumstances.

A rope was knotted to the balcony rail and trailing down—as he saw by the rays of his lamp—to the front steps. It had not been there when they had come in or they must have knocked against it.

"He's got away since we came in, Harry. Come down with me!" They flew down the stairs into the silent square; they did not see

remarkable figures: 8.1 overs, 2 maidens, 15 runs, 6 wickets. By taking four wickets for 33, Perkins made his record for the match 10 for 90.

Iddon's Hundred

AFTER missing six matches through a thumb injury, Iddon made a noteworthy return to the Lancashire team by making his third hundred of the season at Weston-super-Mare, where the champions met Somerset.

WELLARD was the only Somerset batsman to shine against Lancashire at Weston-super-Mare, and he hit two more 5's, to bring his total for the season to fifty.

Plucky Innings By Creese

HITTING his first 100 of the season, Creese redeemed a poor start by Hampshire against the Essex fast bowlers at Chelmsford.

After Essex had lost the lead, Nichols and Read jumped into action. Nichols bowled with fine nerve, and in less than half an hour the Hampshire side were out for 40 runs.

Facing the fast bowling confidently, Creese and Lancashire increased the score by 82 in an hour for the sixth wicket. Lancashire pulled and drove in fine style, his 37 including a 6 off Smith and four 4's.

Creese went on playing faultless cricket, to reach his first 50 in 70 minutes and his 100 in a further 55 minutes.

Sutcliffe's 210

SUTCLIFFE cracked on a double century in his best style off the Leicestershire bowlers at Leicester.

The Yorkshire batsman got to 50 and out of 79 in an hour and 50 minutes, and 100 out of 172 in three hours and ten minutes. It was his seventh century of the summer, and the 190th of his career.

Just before he reached 200 out of 363 in five hours and three quarters, Sutcliffe missed a ball dangerously through the slips, and a little later he almost played on. Yet those were the only serious mistakes in a fine innings, in which he has so far hit a 6 and 7.

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the girl, she must have gone to her room.

The front door was closed. P.C. Simpson jerked at it with confidence, but this door did not open. He twisted the handle and pulled again, but it was a very heavy door, steel-lined, and did not budge.

"It's been double-locked on the inside," he said truthfully. "That girl must have done it, Harry. Go and see her and get the key."

Harry tried the nearest door; that was locked, and the second door was locked, but the door leading into the back of the house was open. It took him down to a kitchen, and his electric lamp showed him yet another door wide open. He guessed it was the garage; the big gates leading to the mews were swinging idly in the breeze.

He went back to his companion. "You wait here," said P.C. Simpson, flew down the stairs, and in a few seconds was in the mews.

With shaking hand he dragged his police whistle from his pocket and sent out a shrill warning, circumnavigated the house in time to see three policemen running, and ahead of them a stolid, tall figure.

Inspector Rater had business of his own in the neighbourhood that night, but had surrendered all other interest at the alarm. Breathlessly the police-constable told his story as he half ran, half walked back to the mews.

"All right, all right," said the Orator, impatiently. "One of you fellows stand in front of the door and don't move."

He followed Simpson into the house, up to the ground floor. Harry the policeman stood rigidly to attention at the foot of the stairs.

"Where's the lady? Have you seen her?"

Harry had not seen, or heard her. He ventured the suggestion that she must be "in a faint" for he was a family man, and knew the effects of such events upon the weak frame of womanhood.

The Orator was half-way up the stairs, and missed the plausible explanation.

"That's the room, sir," Inspector Rater turned the handle and pushed.

"Locked," he said and, stooping, acquainted through the keyhole.

He could see that the door to the balcony was open, and asked a question.

"I left it like that, sir. There was a rope tied to the rails of the balcony. The man who done it must have got out that way, sir."

"Lend your shoulders to the door," said the Orator.

Two strong men pushed together—and again. The lock broke with a snap, the door flew open.

"Where's your body?" P.C. Simpson started, where the dead man had lain there was no dead man. The room was entirely empty.

The Orator looked at the policeman, at the door and then at the window; and then his mind instantly moved to the house of the Magnolia Perello, which was on the opposite side of the square. He

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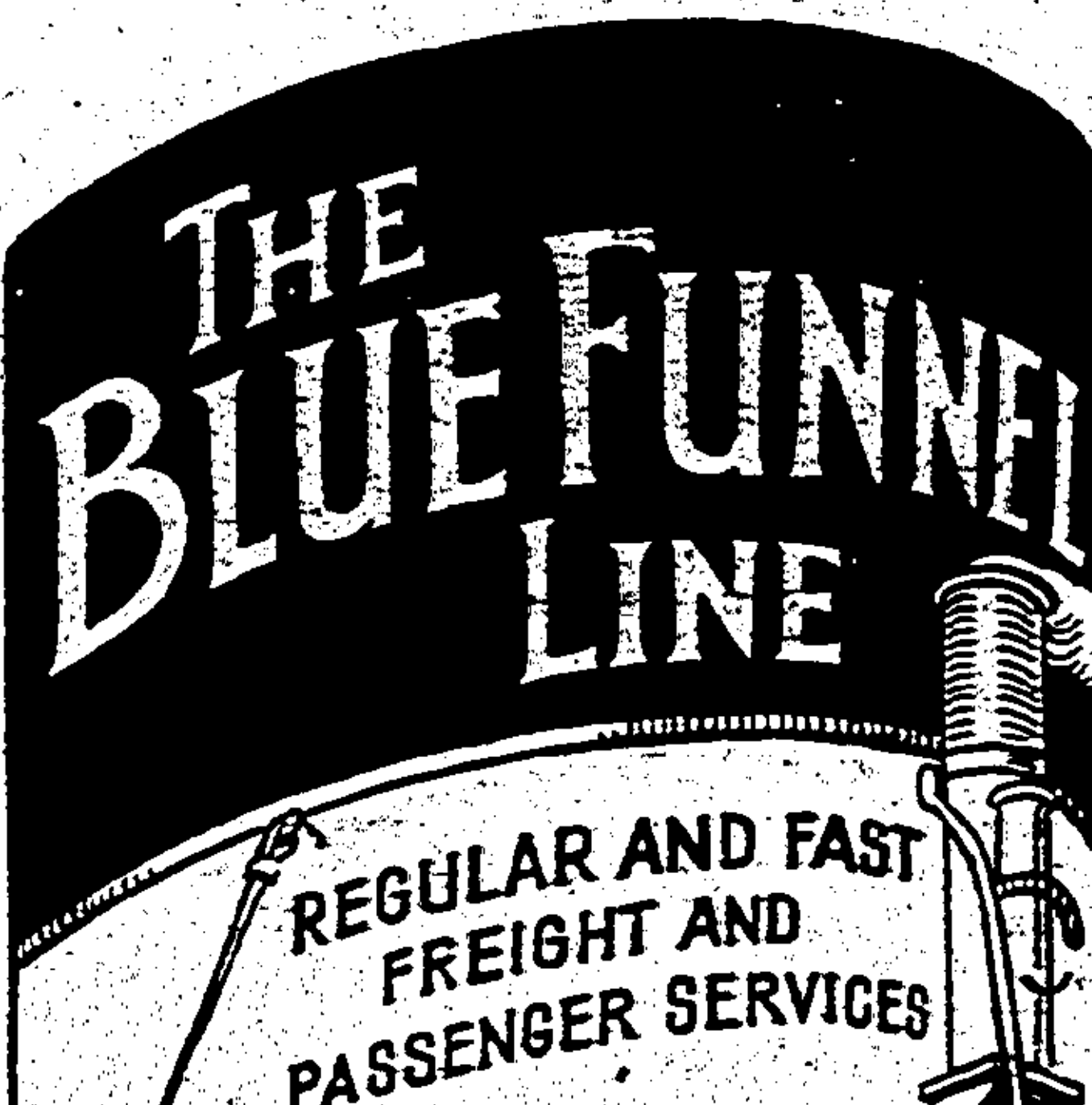
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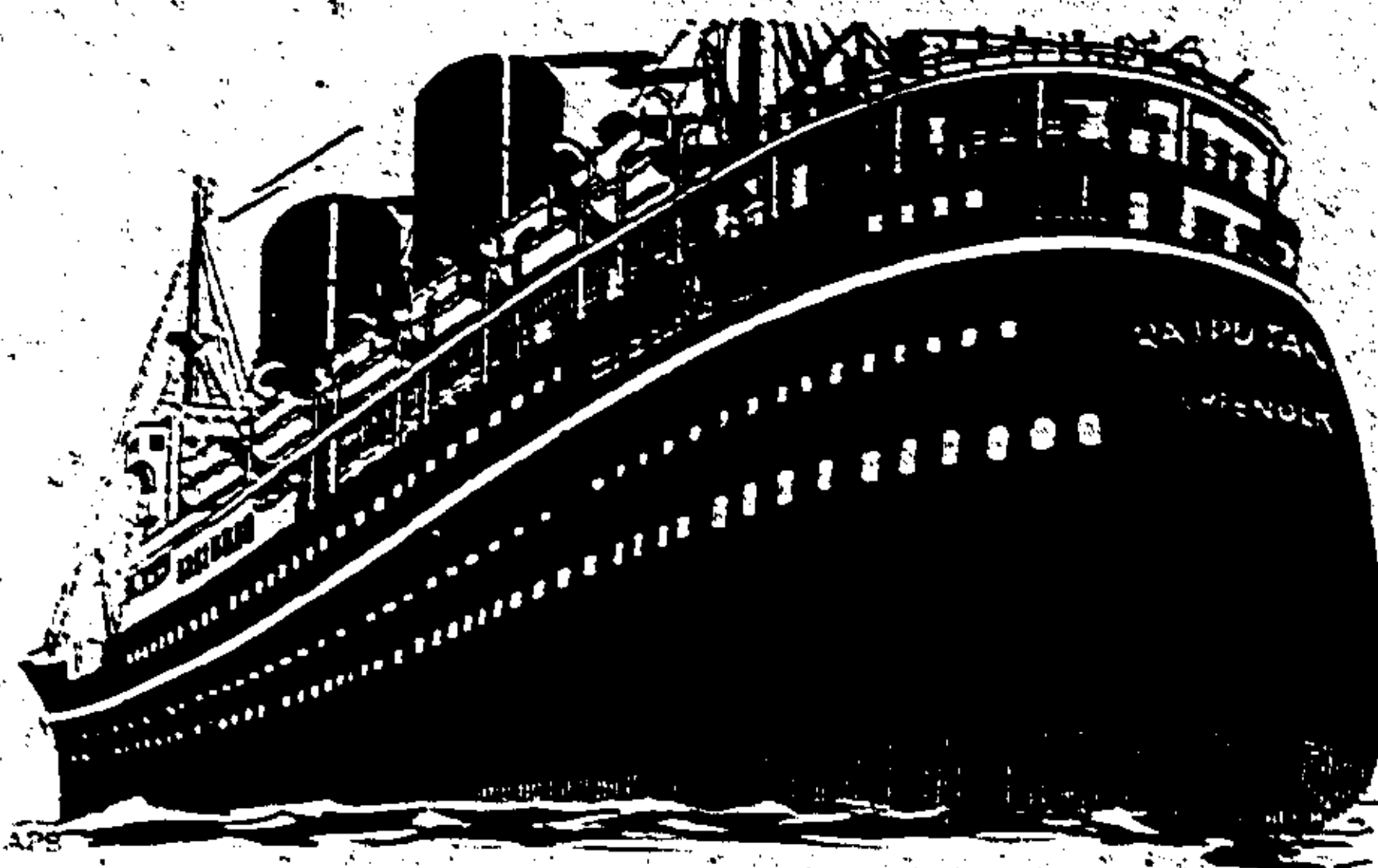
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MIND READERS

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thought of the Marquis Perello naturally for two reasons: the first was that Len Wilton was in town, and the second that in the Marquis's house, in a safe, and not a very safe safe, were four packets of cut emeralds that had arrived in London a few days before.

They were in transit to an illustrious person in Italy who had a passion for emeralds, and had been purchased in the Argentine at great cost. The Marquis had notified the police, and Mr. O. Rater had thought it desirable to station a uniformed constable before and behind the house. He knew the names of those constables, and leaning over the balcony, he addressed the small gathering of police officers on the pavement below.

"Is Walton here?"
"Yes, sir," said a voice.
"And Martin?"
"Yes, sir," said another voice.
"Then," asked the Orator gently, "why the hell are you here?"
He was very hurt, because he knew just how quickly Len Wilton worked. He did not wait for the door to be opened, but slid down the rope to the steps, and five minutes later was knocking at the door of the Marquis Perello's house. He knocked for a very long time. The marquis and his wife were at the theatre. The three maid-servants were locked in a room upstairs. The armed valet who kept guard over the safe was found bludgeoned in the drawing-room, and the safe was open.

"He worked four-handed," said the Orator philosophically.
Len Wilton invariably worked four-handed, so the Orator had made no great discovery. And after a job was done the four would separate and leave England by various routes.

There is, for example, a steamer that goes from Dundee to Holland, and yet another that sails from Plymouth to one of the French ports—Len never made the mistake of following the beaten track. His methods were unique; nobody but Len would have taken a furnished house in Burford-square and staged an elaborate murder mystery in order to bring all the police in the neighbourhood running to that one particular spot and leave unguarded the place he wished to burgle.

A search of the house revealed nothing of value except—in the fireplace of the dining-room were a number of burnt papers, and a little slip printed in red which was only half-burnt. It had apparently to do with passengers and guides and the difficulties of Customs.

He put the little slip in his pocket very carefully and sent forth widespread enquiries. The only clue he had—and that came to him the next morning—was from a constable of the City police who, standing at the junction of Queen Victoria-street and Cannon-street, had seen a car in which was a woman. He was not even certain it was a woman, but she had that appearance, for her head and the upper part of her body were enclosed in a frock. She was, in point of fact, at the moment he saw her, engaged in slipping on a dress.

Cannon-street Station drew blank; no woman had arrived in a car at that hour. She had obviously gone east of Cannon-street.

The Orator was something of a psychologist himself. He knew Wilton's methods, and knew that that gallant gentleman would first assure himself that his beautiful lady confederate was safe. He interviewed P.C. Simpson, a crest-fallen and resentful man, from whom his first murder had been ruthlessly snatched.

"Yes, sir, she talked with a sort of foreign accent."
"I want you to remember every word she said, Simpson," said the Orator gently.

P.C. Simpson thought very hard, trying to coax by a vigorous massage of his head, the half-forgotten facts of the conversation.
"I can't remember anything," said sir. The only thing that struck me as curious was that while she was a-moaning and a-groaning she had her eye on her wrist-watch. I saw her look twice.

"The time was about eleven, I think."
The constable thought it was a little later.
"To me," said the Orator, "it is as clear as daylight."

When P.C. Simpson had gone, the Orator took from an envelope the little half-burnt slip of printed paper that had been found in the grate of the dining-room, and reconstructed it....

Early one morning, somewhere in the Bay of Biscay, a British destroyer came up over the horizon behind the slow-moving steamship Emil and signalled the captain to stop. The Emil was a small ship that carried a large number of pleasure-seeking passengers to the Moroccan ports and Madeira. She had left London at midnight on the night of the robbery, and the pretty Anglo-Spanish girl who had already become the belle of the ship had joined the Emil just before she cast off from one of the London docks.

Miss Avilez protested vigorously against her arrest, but rather blotted her copybook by attempting to throw a small package overboard—a piece of extravagance on her part, since the package contained 17 perfectly-cut emeralds, none of which was under ten carats.

The matron who looked after her on the destroyer brought her to London and to Mr. Rater. She replied to all his questions with the hauteur proper to a daughter of hidalgos.

The next morning there appeared in the *London Press* a communication very carefully composed by the Orator himself. He wrote at greater length than he spoke.

"Part of the proceeds of the Burford-square robbery have been recovered by the arrest of a woman calling herself Inez Avilez. It appears that the leader of the gang responsible for this cleverly planned robbery, whilst he was careful of his own skin, had not only sent the woman on a route where she could be easily traced, but had left evidence—possibly with the idea of using her as a decoy to draw attention from himself to her destination."

On the day following the pretty Anglo-Spaniard's conviction (she was a British subject from Gibraltar) a second inspired paragraph appeared:

"This woman was deliberately sacrificed by the man who planned the robbery, and goes to prison to bear the punishment of his crime."

It was a clumsily written paragraph, and there were several sub-editors who would have liked to alter it a little, but the Orator knew his man, though he might not have recognised Mr. Len Wilton if he had seen him pacing the floor of his expensive suite in Aix, crazily incoherent, planning vengeance for the insult that had been put upon him.

"I've got Wilton," reported the Orator laconically.

And yet his superiors knew there was nothing in the world to associate Wilton with the robbery. He had his perfectly turned alibi, and witnesses to prove his presence in France at the hour the emeralds were stolen.

"I'm a mind-reader, too," said the Orator, when they asked him for an explanation; "and just at this moment I'm reading Wilton's. What he's saying about me at this minute is enough to make me turn in my grave. Only I'm not dead."

Mr. Len Wilton had a brilliant associate, one John B. Stimmings, who came at the request of his master to Aix, not knowing the condition of Mr. Len Wilton's mind.

"Too bad about Inez," said Mr. Stimmings as he came into the ornate sitting-room and closed the door. "Clever kid that. I'll bet this man Rater framed up something on her."

"This man Rater couldn't frame a picture," spluttered Len; his ordinarily good-looking face swollen and purple with anger. "Rater! They call him the Orator, don't they? I'll make him talk! Look at this!"

He slammed down two press-cuttings before his visitor. "He couldn't get anything on me. The Surete came after me the next morning, and there was I snug in bed in my villa at Anteuil."

"Up in Paris," said John B. Stimmings, "about asking you to leave France."
"Leave nothing! They know I wouldn't touch a thing in France. I'm going to England to see this Rater fellow."

Mr. Stimmings looked at him curiously.

"Count me out," he said. "Take one ticket—single. You're going dippy."

The absurdity of the very suggestion that it was not a brilliant idea brought a fleeting smile to the angry man.

"Listen! You know me! I know just what that fellow's thinking. I've got right behind the thing he calls his mind. John, do you remember when I went after the Infanta's pearls and then went back to Madrid four days after? Did anybody know me or recognise me? I'm going to show you my biggest bit of work."

He might have added his ugliest for in a tempestuous and sleepless night he had designed a crime that had no equal in his brilliant record.

A week later there arrived in London an elderly English gentleman who gave his name at the best London hotel as Colonel Pershin. He had a British passport; he was apparently a fussy, rather quick-tempered man, who had a special business in life. He stayed at the Wheatham Hotel, which was at once the most obscure and the most fashionable in London, and he read the newspapers with great industry.

A few days after his arrival Mr. Rater received a scented letter. It was written by a lady who signed herself "One who Knows," and it ran:

If you wish to know where the rest of the Perello emeralds are to be found, I can tell you. I want you to promise me that I shall not be arrested, but, knowing that a police officer cannot make any such promises, I cannot ask you to put that into writing. I will come to Scotland Yard at 8 o'clock on Saturday evening. Will you be in your room?

The Orator read and re-read the communication. Where women were concerned he believed in miracles. And yet he was satisfied in his mind that behind the letter was the inspiration of Mr. Wilton. For a long, long time he stood by his window looking on to the Embankment, staring at the river, and thinking himself into the mind of his enemy.

There was at the Yard at this time a most unpopular Assistant Commissioner, who did not like the Orator. Major Dawton had had his police training in India. He was an incurable theorist, and had a weakness for interfering with his executive. He summoned the Orator into his office.

"Come, come, Mr. Rater," he said, a little pompously. "This won't do at all. Here are emeralds of an enormous value stolen under the eyes of the police, after you have been specifically instructed to protect their owner! Have you seen this morning's newspaper?"

"I can't read," said the Orator wearily, and waited long enough for the Assistant Commissioner to get apologetic before he concluded—"newspapers when I have got work on hand."

"It is a scandal, Mr. Rater. Really, I am ashamed to meet my friends at the club. They are constantly asking me why we don't get detectives in from outside. And I think it would be an excellent scheme."

"You don't want detectives, you want mind-readers to deal with Wilton," said the Orator again.

"Stuff and nonsense!" said Major Dawton.

It was a peaceful Saturday afternoon at Scotland Yard. The day was warm and the double windows that shut out the noises of the Thames Embankment were wide open. Sunshine bathed the deserted wharves and warehouses that form so fine a skyline on the southern bank, and laid on the river a sheet of fretted gold.

The tramway-cars were more or less empty; the promenade given over to leisurely sight-seeing folk who had brought their children for a stroll.

Inspector Rater took off his pince-nez with a sigh, folded the minute he had been reading and returned it to its envelope. He gazed pensively through the open window. A tug, drawing a string of barges, was moving slowly upstream. Timber, barges, stacked high with planks of yellow pine, on the Embankment a few young men leaned over the parapet.

He turned his head as the door opened and Major Dawton came in. Without a word he handed the letter to his superior. The Major no longer fixed his eyeglass, read and sneered. He was on his feet in an in-

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"That, I suppose, is the art of criminal detection," he said, with heavy irony—the Orator was very unpopular at that moment. "Half the good work at Scotland Yard is done by informers. I should like to see this woman when she comes."

"If she comes," said the Orator softly.
"You think it is a hoax?" I don't agree. It is probably some jealous confederate who has been badly treated. These scraps of information have come to the Yard every day since I have been here."

"They have come every day I've been here," said the Orator, "and that's seventeen years."

"She won't come, but he will," the Major snorted under this implication of his inexperience.

"Wilton? Rubbish! He's in France. That sort of scoundrel is not going to put his nose into this country, and if he did we've sufficient evidence to convict him of simple larceny. I'll be here at eight o'clock this evening."

"Make it a quarter-to," suggested the Orator, venom in his eye.

Major Dawton, sitting in the office chair, yawned.
"She's sold you," he said.

"I told you not to come," said Mr. Rater. He stood with his back to the wall, glooming down at the Assistant Commissioner thoughtfully. The Major looked at his watch.

"I'll give her another quarter of an hour—"

"Whee-e-snack!"
Something whizzed past him; he felt the disturbance of air, and turning his startled head saw the glass of a framed photograph splinter disastrously. There was no sound of a shot.

He was on his feet in an in-

stant and ran to the window. Something struck the sill on which his hand rested, ripped a jagged wound in the stone and brought down the plaster from the ceiling.

"I'd keep away from that window," said the Orator gently. "They tell me he's a wonderful rifle shot, but I thought he'd operate from the Council building. The barge was certainly a brilliant idea."

Major Dawton's face was white as death.

"Shooting!" he gasped. "At me!"

"At me," said the Orator, pensively. "I hope those fellows have located him. I should think they would."

As he spoke he saw two motor-launches filled with men shoot out from the cover of the parapet; they were making for the barge.

"That's all right," said the Orator. "Now we've got something to charge him with."

"They were shooting at me!" squeaked the Major.

"I told you not to come," said Mr. Rater, but the joy in his eyes belied his tone of sympathy.

"The general idea was a good one," said the Orator to the Chief Commissioner, "Wilton knew my weakness for fresh air, and he must have made a reconnaissance and seen how easy it was to look into my room with the window open. Oh, yes, I knew he was in England—one of my men picked him up when he landed at Southampton from Havre."

"But you didn't dream he'd be shooting into your room, or you wouldn't have allowed the Major to come," he said.

"The Orator did not answer immediately. Then he sighed.

"I suppose I wouldn't," he said.

(The End)

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**THE SOVIET AND
BELGIUM**
Provisional Trade
Treaty Signed
—CHINA MAIL— SPECIAL
Paris, To-day.

A provisional trade treaty was signed at the Russian Embassy on Thursday night by the Belgian Charge d'Affaires and the Russian special plenipotentiary in the presence of the Soviet Charge d'Affaires. This provisional agreement regulates for three years from October 1 the economic relations between the Belgian-Luxembourg Customs Union and Soviet Russia, on the basis of mutual concessions and most-favoured nation treatment—Trans-Ocean Service.

**STUDENTS' UNIONS
IN GERMANY**
United Body Appears
Unattainable
—CHINA MAIL— SPECIAL

Berlin, To-day. The Secretary of State, Dr. Lammers, has resigned his office as the leader of the Union of Students' Associations, since it has become evident that the task he set himself of creating a united body of German students' corporations cannot be attained—Trans-Ocean Service.

As from Monday next until further notice, except on general and public holidays, the office hours of the General Register Office, of Births and Deaths will be from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays and 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on other weekdays, according to a Gazette notification.

**AIR ACCIDENT IN
FRANCE**
Bombing Planes
Collide
TEN AIR FORCE RANKS
LOSE THEIR LIVES
—CHINA MAIL— SPECIAL

Paris, To-day. Ten people were killed when two heavy bombing planes collided on Thursday afternoon in a dense fog during the army manoeuvres at Champagne and St. Jean-aux-Bois, about 35 kilometres north-west of Rethel. The vehemence of the impact was so great that the gasoline tanks of both planes immediately exploded. One of the planes crashed in a field, while the other struck a house, setting it on fire. The planes were manned by one officer and four non-commissioned officers each, all of whom lost their lives in the accident—Trans-Ocean Service.

KING'S CUP AIR RACE

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There were two women competitors, of whom Miss R. Slow on a Hawk Six was eighth to complete the course, but was later disqualified for a technical fault in rounding one of the turning points. The only serious mishap to competitors occurred when A. Henshaw in his Hawk was forced down in the sea while on the 40-mile section across the Irish Sea, which is an innovation in the race, but the pilot jumped clear of the machine and hung on to the wreckage until rescued by a passenger steamer. The final will be flown to-day over a circuit measuring 51.68 miles, the machines turning round pylons and covering the circuit seven times—British Wireless Service.

REMOVAL OF GRAVES
Latest Government
Order

The Government Gazette publishes notifications relating to the removal of all graves in portions of Sections A and B in the New Kowloon Cemetery Nos. 3 and 4 (Chung Sha Wan cemetery and Sai Yu Shek cemetery, respectively); the Tung Wah Hospital cemetery at Kai Lung Wan; Sections A, B and C in the Chai Wan cemetery; Sections B and C in the Mount Caroline cemetery; Section A and Trebches in Kai Lung Wan East cemetery; and Sections B and C in Kowloon cemetery No. 2 (Ho Man Tin cemetery).

The remains in every case will be re-interred or disposed of in such manner as the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, in consultation with the Sanitary Department and the Board of Direction of the Tung Wah Hospital, shall think fit.

**BROWNS TWICE
BEAT SENATORS
IN U.S. BASEBALL**

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The Pirates overwhelmed the Dodgers by a 13-0 margin, Blanton blanking Brooklyn, while Hafey struck his fourth homer of the season.

Ten innings were needed to decide the clash between the Giants and the Reds, the former winning by a 7 to 5 margin. There clashes in the American League, between Detroit and Philadelphia, Cleveland and Boston and Chicago and New York, were postponed on account of rain.

TABLES TO DATE

	P	W	L	Perc.
Chicago	122	81	41	.663
St. Louis	126	81	45	.642
New York	124	77	47	.620
Pittsburgh	131	73	58	.557
Cincinnati	130	58	72	.448
Brooklyn	126	55	71	.438
Philadelphia	125	54	71	.432
Boston	124	51	73	.420

	P	W	L	Perc.
Detroit	129	85	44	.659
New York	123	72	50	.593
Boston	128	65	63	.507
Cleveland	127	64	63	.503
Chicago	123	62	61	.504
Washington	128	55	72	.429
Philadelphia	120	50	70	.416
St. Louis	126	57	76	.398

**BANDITS HOLD UP
MOTOR-BUS**
Fifteen Passengers
Kidnapped

A bus plying between Peiping and Tientsin was held up by over 20 bandits at a place known as Nan Yu Lin Chong in the Tungshien District, one afternoon recently. Two shots were fired by the bandits who, after looting the bus, kidnapped 15 passengers.

No trace of the bandits could be found by the Chinese police, pany her husband in the event of war. She would follow the example of the late Emperor Menelik's consort, who witnessed the Abyssinian victory of Adowa from a nearby hilltop.

The Emperor's guard will consist of 40,000 uniformed soldiers trained by European instructors. The Archbishop of the Sacred Arc and all the members of the Government, excepting the Foreign Minister, will form a part of the Emperor's entourage.

GROUND IMPASSABLE
The main bodyguard will be protected on the right and left flanks and in the rear by a force of 100,000 trained volunteers. The mules will be used only in the event of an outbreak of hostilities before the ground is passable, since it is now one single swamp due to the rainy season.

If the ground is sufficiently dry 50 motor-lorries will be utilised for the transport of the Nagna, who with the whole train intends to proceed to that part of the front where the fighting is hottest—Trans-Ocean Service.

Jeze Superseded By Hawariate

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MEXICAN ATTITUDE
After a speech by the Mexican member, who recalled the declaration of the American Republics in 1932, that they would not recognise any settlement of an international dispute by force and urged the League to continue its efforts to reach a solution of the Italo-Abyssinian dispute within the framework of the Covenant, the Council approved the appointment of the sub-committee, composed as follows:—Monsieur Laval (France), Mr. Anthony Eden (Great Britain), Senor de Madariaga (Spain), Colonel Beck (Poland) and Dr. Tewfik Aras (Turkey).

The Council then turned to other items—on the very long agenda which, as usual, faces it on the eve of a meeting of the Assembly and which includes the reports of various League committees on economic, financial and health questions, mandates, intellectual co-operation, opium, and the traffic in women, etc.—British Wireless Service.

**International Police
Force?**
SUGGESTED FOR ABYSSINIA

Geneva, Earlier. An international police force permanently stationed in Abyssinia is said to be the latest proposal made by Italy in the course of the negotiations still being carried on between the representatives of England, France and Italy at Geneva apart from the League proceedings proper.

England is said to have agreed to the establishment of such a force, composed principally of Italian troops, but also comprising

detachments from England, France and other neutral countries. The Italians, however, demand a purely Italian military occupation of the whole territory by a force to be termed "The Control of Abyssinian disarmament."

The Italians are also unsatisfied with the territorial concessions, consisting of a wide zone around the central region of Abyssinia. The negotiations are still proceeding, but are not marked, it is feared, "by very much optimism."

"SATISFACTION" REQUIRED
A sequel to the outspoken speech by the Abyssinian representative at Thursday's League Council session, in which Professor Jeze accused Italy of breaking her League obligations and making unrestricted militarism her ideal is that the Italian delegation is now said to be considering the formulation of a demand for "satisfaction." Of what this satisfaction is to consist, however, is not yet quite clear.

One thing is practically certain: that in future the Italians will not appear at the Council table if the Abyssinian representative is also there.

**Emperor's Plans For
The War**

BODYGUARD OF 40,000 MEN

Addis Ababa: Some 1,000 pack-mules are grazing before the gates of the capital ready to transport the tents and provisions of the Emperor Haile Selassie, who is now busily engaged in organising a military escort. Special tents have also been prepared for the Emperor, who, with the Court ladies, will accom-

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